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ONE MAN DEAD

Another Is Dying and a Third Is Badly Wounded.

Horrible Tragedy in a Little Village Across the River.

A Young Farm-Hand Shoots Two Men and Then Kills Himself.

ALL GREW OUT OF A GAME OF CARDS AND TOO MUCH DRINK.

The Quarrel Started When Bill Gillham Knocked a Pipe Out of Joe Hanks' Banker Drew a Revolver and Began Shooting-Brave Phillip German Was the First to Fall-Louis Andreas Shot While Defending a Helpless Woman From the Maniac's Deadly Aim.

The little village of Mitchell, Madison Co., Ill., was the scene of a herrible tragedy Monday night. Almost without an impelling motive, Louis Banker, a young farm hand, was seized with a wild passion for murder, and after fatally wounding one man and shattering the arm of another with his revolver, he turned the weapon upon himself and blew out his own brains.

Philip German is the man whose death the maniac has probably caused, and Louis Andreas is the other victim.

Mitchell is about tan miles from East St. Louis. The affeir occurred about 8 o'clock in the evening in Fred Martin's salcon, a popular resort for fishers and hunters Banker, who was employed on a farm by his half-brother. John Wacker of Bush's Corner, had been in Mitchell all day. He apparently was in his usual frame of mind and had put in his time rolling for pins and otherwise innocentity amusing himself. His reputation was good and no one anticipated that before the evening was over he would be dead by his own hand.

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fellow, Will Gilham by name, a farmer living a few miles north of Mitchell. The two
sat down with others and played cards
peaceably enough for something over an
hour. Then the drink began to tell on Gillham and his mood changed. He became
ugly, and quarrelsome, and those in the
saloon saw plainly that a fight was imminent, yet they never dreamed that Banker
would be mixed up in it, for he was still nent, yet they never dreamed that Banker would be mixed up in it, for he was still quiet and well disposed. Joe Hanks was one of the men in the

saloon. He was sitting by himself in a corner, calmly smoking a pipe, saying a word
to no one. Gillham got up from the card
table and seeing the pipe in Hank's mouth,
knocked it to the floor.

"Don't you do that again," said Hanks,
warningly, as he picked the pipe up and
put it back between his teeth.

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Gillham took the dare. He brought his hand arourd again and the pipe fiew across the room, but had hardly touched the floor before Hanks' fist had sent his tormentor sprawing on his back.

When Banker saw his friend thus knocked down he sprang to his assistance, but bystanders held him until matters quieted a little. Nevertheless, the insult to Gillham seamed to rankle strongly in Banker's

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and he held his revolver ready to make his boast good.

There were fifteen or twenty men in the room, and naturally they were startled by the desperate front Banker was making, and almost without provocation. John Vogt, the bartender, however, started toward the infuriated man, but when he saw the weapon pointed straight at his breast he weakened and fell back.

TRIED TO BE A PEACEMAKER.

Then Philip German, the Mitchell black-

dead man and others went back into the saloen. Among the latter was Gillham, now thoroughly cowed by the result of his quarrelsomeness.

When the stricken blacksmith saw him all his anger for his condition vented itself upon the man who started the trouble and raising himself to his feet with the blood still gushing from his wound he kicked and outfed the fellow until he was exhausted. Gillham was badly disfigured.

AN INQUEST HELD.

Coroner Kinder of Edwardsville aws notified of the shooting and went straight to Mitchell. This morning the inquest was held and a verdict returned in accordance with the facts.

German's condition is considered hopeless. Dr. Parker, who is attending him, holds out very little hope for his recovery. The bullet took a downward course and is thought to have penetrated the lungs.

EACH GUARDED BY FROM TWO TO TWENTY POLICEMEN.

MULHATTON'S WALK

He Looked Rough, but Was the Same Old Cheerful Liar.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 15.—Joseph Mulhatton arrived in the city from Arizona and will leave this morning for San Francisco. Contrary to his custom he looked serious and instead of wearing fine raiment, he was made up as a tramp and declared he had just for amusement traveled from Arizona as an amateur brake-beam rider, and he looked the part to a dot. He wore fiveday-old whiskers, a coat that might have adorned several generations of "Dusty Rhodes," a pair of trousers that not only bagged at the places where the knees ought to be, but were not, and a hat that would have delighted Dr. Daily. It was the hale old cheerful liar, Mulhatton, however, and he had a joyful day calling on old friends from New York and Louisville. Col. Tom Lewis, the Assistant Postmaster, chaperoned him, and Mulhatton drew up a menu for a French dinner that would have made Chauncey Depew speak for an hour.

ALMOST STARVING

Deplorable Condition of Miners Families in Hocking Valley.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 15.-State officia

CEMETERY PONDS.

Nightly Invaded by Crowds of Fearless Skaters.

Skaters will take advantage of anything that affords them an opportunity to enjoy their favorite winter sport. Even the graveyard, with all its gloomy surroundings, fails to escape the skaters' attention. Calvary and Bellefontaine, the two leading cometeries of St. Louis are both adorned with small, but well-kept lakes, which needle down amidst somber looking monuments and tombstones. The western boundary lines of both cemeteries extend along Florissant avenue in North St. Louis and the two lakes can be seen from the thoroughfare mentioned. Of late years this portion of the city has grown up and become populated to a considerable extent. The new residents out there are behind Comptroller Sturgeon in his fight for a lake at O'Failon Park. An appropriation of 15,000 for this improvement to the big North End Park was made by the city fathers, but the city has not got the available funds for the purposs. Consequently the lake was postponed. The result was the North Enders had no place to skate when the cold snap set in, and skating became the rage, until some of the more courageous suggested the lakes in Bellefontaine and Calvary. Of course, it would be impossible to skate there in the day time, but the superintendents are not so careful after night-fail, especially on cold evenings. That's how it came to pass that both lakes have been comfortably filled with merry ice-gliders for several nights past.

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Travelers along Florisant avenue first noticed the unusual scene of skaters enjoying themselves in the shadows of massive vaults and imposing, but gloomy looking monuments and tombetones and it was a most peculiar state of affairs. Many of the skaters were mere children and it is no exaggeration to say that they would not enter a graveyard at night under any other circumstances for any consideration. Even the shadows of the big monuments, which are thrown across Florisant avenue, on moonlight nights, have been enough to frighten the children heretofore. All has been changed since skating became the rage, however. Even the children have forgotten about ghosts and ghouls. Like the disbelievers in Santa Claus, they have unexpectedly become "wise" and will never again be frightened by any grave-yard ghost stories. At the down-town office of the Calvary Association, it was denied that outsiders were silowed to skate on the cemtery lake. The Secretary said that some of the Superintendent's friends may have done so, but he did not think the surrounding residents would take chances of being arrested by going into the cemetery without permission at the Bellefontaine Association office. It was said that no skating was allowed on the cemetery lake during the day time. The rule would not stop the sport at might, though.

NONE KILLED, PURSUED HER. GOT THE GANG.

But Many Persons Hurt in the H. G. Jamison, a Hotel Clerk, Highwaymen Who Have Re- And Suffering Was Brought MINE HORROR

TWENTY POLICEMEN.

Tracks Obstructed by Upsetting Barrels of Ashes-One Car Sent Out Under Guard of Fourteen Patrolman-No At tempt Made to Impede Its Movements -Mail Cars Started at 9.28 a. m.-Petition May Be Presented to Mayor Shiron.

ported about 2:30 p. m. that a serious riot

tured by the strikers. It was released by the mounted police. The steamboat squad

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Both sides in the electric street railway strike show a determined front to-day. On the Court street line twenty cars are being run at irregular intervals, each guarded by from two to eight policemen. Strikers or their friends have obstructed the tracks by upsetting barrels of ashes. The rubbish was cleared away by the laborers from the power house on the Flatbush avenue line and a car was sent out. It was preceded by six mounted policemen, while eight unmounted policemen rode in the car. It passed through a district where the strikers are reported to be in a more reckless mood than elsewhere, but the manner in which it was guarded evidently overswed any who might have been inclined to lawlessness, for no attempt was made to stop it.

United States until cars on the Fistbush avenue line were started out at \$22 o'clock and the company amounces that it is determined to run the mail cars all day, no matter what action the strikers may take.

The strikers contemplate presenting a petition to Mayor Shiron to-day, asking him to end the tie-up by virtue of his official power, and will cite the action taken by Mayor Pingree of Detroit in 1891, when he said that railroad companies had violated the tenhour law and warmed them that if the strike then in progress was not over in twenty-four hours he would declare their charters forfeited.

A meeting of the strike committee of the surface lines was held early to-day. They refused to tell what action had been taken.

NO SYMPATHY STRIKE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Talks with the employes of the Metropolitan Traction syndicate and of the Third avenue cable road of this city prove that the grievances of the men are not such as to bring about a general strike in sympathy with the Brooklyn trolley road employes. The Metropolitan Traction syndicate employs 6,000 men, on its Broadway. Columbus avenue and many cross-town and belt line roads.

President Herbert Vreeland said that he fait very certain there would be no trouble whatever on the various syndicate lines and that the men were well satisfied with the treatment they received. Samuel Gompers, ex-President of the American Federation of Labor, said:

"I hope the men will win. This trip system is abominable and outrageous. I think the companies will find considerable difficulty in filling the places of the strikers. The demands of the men are so reasonable that the companies will find it more advantageous to concede them than to break in a large number of new men. I don't think it will be a long strike. The companies will be ompelied to see the false position they are in."

WRIT FOR A PRIEST.

NO SLANDER.

To Be Called a Cat Is Not Ac-

Comes to Grief.

Miss Annie Sterling Charged Him With Mashing.

HE CHASED HER AT MIDNIGHT ON

and Landed in an Officer's Arms-She Was Going Home From a Wake and He Saw Her on the Car—She For got to Get Off at Her Destination—The Pursuit and Capture.

H. G. Jamison, a rather dudish young man, who is the swell clerk of the Hotel Roder, was arraigned before Judge Morris at 10:30 a. m. and was fined \$10 for disturbing the peace. The prosecuting witness is Miss Annie Sterling, a pretty black-eyed brunette, who lives at 2834 Olive street.

On Monday night young Jamison, it is said, became rather hilarious while down town and boarded the Olive street car about 12 o'clock at night, homeward bound. Miss Sterling, who had been to the wake of a departed friend, happened onto the same car. Bhe sat opposite young Jamison. On the way out, it is said that the young man eyed Miss Sterling considerably, and to hermind he was trying to mash. All went well until the car reached Jefferson avenue, and there quite a crowd of passengers left the train. Among those who get off were two passengers who sat next to young Jamison. This left quite a space next to the young man, and when the train started off again, it is alleged that he signalled Miss Sterling to take a seat beside him. Quite abashed at this audacity, Miss Sterling shook her head, and thought that was all that was necessary to be done.

FORGOT TO GET OFF.

However, she claims this did not stop Jamison trying to first with her, and so annoying was his alleged misconduct that she claims she completely forgot her destination and rode absent-mindedly as far as Thirty-second street. Here as a stopped the car and got off, and darked to walk home, giad to think she was rid of hor alleged tormentor.

IN HIS OLD CELL.

Duestrow Brought Back From Union on an Early Train.

Union on an Early Train.

Arthur Duestrow arrived in St. Louis from Union at \$25 a. m. He was in charge of Deputy Sherif Edgar Terry, and was on the same train which brought back to town ex-Gov. Johnson, Charles T. Noland, Circuit Attorney Zachritz and many others interested in the case. During the ride the prisoner sat in the smoker, puffing constantly at his adored cigarettes and chatting pleasantly enough with his keeper and others who addressed him. Sometimes his conversation was sane enough and sometimes he went off on a tangent into observations about hypnotism and other recent hobbies of his.

Upon his arrival in the city he was taken to the Four Courts and put in his old cell. Circuit Attorney Zachritz will immediately begin the work of getting evidence in rebuttal of the defense's position that Duestrow is insane. He declines, however, to state his plans in detail.

Duestrow seemed rather to enjoy his trip to Union than otherwise. His quarters in the jail were pleasant, and according to his own statement he received better tractment at the hands of Sheriff Terry and his deputies than he did in the St. Louis jail. He slept very little last night, as the morning train for St. Louis leaves Union so early. As a result he consumed an immense number of cigarettes. In the evening he was furnished with 25 cents worththat is, five boxes containing ten cigarettes each, and there were but few left at train time. He kept a plece of candle burning all night from which to obtain lights.

It is thought that the insanity case will occupy about four or five days next week. If the defendant is adjudged insans by the jurnit the March term, as Judge Hirsel has to sit in Clayton after Jan. 2. If adjudged insane buestrow will be sant to an asylum until such time as he may recover his reason, when, if such an event comes to pass, he would have to stand trial.

The issues as to whether he was insane when the deed was committed and as to whether he is insane now are entirely separate, and have only an indirect bearing upon eac

FORD INQUEST

The Pocahontas Stockman's Death

Michael Reed and John McCullough Identified by Victims.

ently Robbed Citizens.

SOME OF THE ARTICLES STOLEN FOUND ON THEM.

Three More Men Who Are Thought to Have Figured in Recent Outrages Caught-One of Them Makes a Bold Break for Liberty-Some Daring Hold-

The police believe that they have arrested the gang of highwaymen that has been ter-rorizing the West and North End pedestrians for some weeks past. On Monday afternoon Detectives King and Kelleher aryoung men, who are well-known to the po-lice, and whose names are Richard Stack, Andrew Canton, John Giblin and Willie O'Keefe. They are suspected of being im-plicated in some of the recent robberies, the officers learning that they were keeping rather late hours. At the patrol box, Fif-teenth and O'Fallon streets, Stack broke away from the officers and was pursued to Ninth street and Cass avenue where he was Ninth street and Cass avenue, who recaptured by Detective King after a lively

THE WEATHER.

Rain or Snow This Evening and Colder

SMALL-POX PATIENT.

E. B. Roe Confessed Judgment in Favor of Charles Dexter.

BOTH GONE

Into a Benton Home.

Rev. J. W. Lee, Pastor of Benton Presbyterian Church, the Cause.

HIS MISCONDUCT HAS BAISED SUSPICION AGAINST A MISSING YOUNG GIRL.

ises to Desist in His Attentions He Met the Young Girl Who Is Now Judged so Cruelly-No Evidence at Hand That He Was Culpable Beyond

Rev. J. W. Lee, who has been pastor of the McCausland Avenue Presbyterian Church at Benton for ten years, resigned his pastorate about two months ago. He remained at Benton up to two weeks ago, arranging his temporal affairs. He then left with a promise to write to them frequently and keep them advised of his plans and whereabouts. Not a line has been received

be relieved to hear from her. When the first whispers of this talk, which afterward became common, reached me and my daughters I went to Dr. Lee and told him that while I regarded him as worthy of the confidence of myself and all Christians I wished he would not meet or walk to and from the depot, in Benton or St. Louis with May. "She, of course, could not see harm in these attentions. Friends of the two families advised Dr. Lee to the same effect. Talk is always to be avoided, and it was to avoid this bandying about of the names of my daughter and her pastor that we interfered, and not to protect my girl from harm. It was a cruel blow to me when evidence was presented to me that I must accept that Dr. Lee broke his solemn promise and met May, not only on her way to the depot in Benton, but on the streets of St. Louis.

"Thave carefully kept all this talk from my husband, G. W. Richey, who is a pilot on the Government boat, now on the Lower Mississippi. I was afreid to have him know it. I do not know what he will do when he learns about it. My husband not only trusted Dr. Lee, but was fond of him. Dr. Lee ate his Christmas dinner at our table, which was presided over by my husband. It may be that May has gone to Florida, for she seemed bent on spending a month or two in that State, thinking that she would be benefited by that climate."

Mrs. Richey gave way to tears as she discussed her daughter's unexplained disappearance and was so overcome that she had to be assisted to her bed. Her daughters suppressed their sobs to lovingly minister to their stricken mother.

In the hope of clearing up the mystery of the girl's departure from Louisville many inquiries were made of her intimate friends. They were all of one opinion, vis., that while May admired Dr. Lee's intelligence, she was not mindful of the fact that her association with him might cause gossip. When the dawned upon her she was so shocked at the unkindness that it affected her health. She went away on the visit to friends, but on the revisal of the gossi

ut off communication with her family and nent to some personal friends of her own in the South.

Of course there are those who are less indly in their interpretation of the hapenings in the little circle, but they are not f the number who king liss Ritchie and tho speak no word but here.

CORUMGATHEREDIN

Came to Grief.

Diglake Colliery Is Flooded From Old Workings.

About 150 of the Men and Boys

BUT BETWEEN 90 AND 120 REMAIN IN THE PIT.

Believed at Least Twenty of Them Have Met Horrible Deaths by Drowning-Work of Rescue Being Bravely Pushed, but Little Headway Being Made Water Hard to Reduce-Pumping Has

AUDLEY, England, Jan. 15.-Throughe the night relays of men worked desperately at the Diglake Colliery, where a large num-

the old workings.

By 5 o'clock yesterday 150 of the men and By 5 o'clock yesterday 150 of the men and boys employed in the mine had been rescued. Of those who remained below it was thought that twenty were in the lower workings when the mine was flooded and that they were drowned. From the time the disaster was signaled the rescuers did their utmost to save those who remained alive and to recover the bodies of the drowned. The work of rescue, however, had not made much progress by this morning and it was believed that there were still between ninety and 120 men and boys in the mine.

The sorrow-stricken wives, daughters and other relatives of the imprisoned men gathered around the pit as soon as the news of the disaster reached them. There they patiently faced the cold winds, and many of them went without food for many hours. All of them brought dry clothes for the men below and slood in groups hoping and praying for the safety of those dear to them.

The water so constantly fluctuated that the rescuers were well nigh discouraged. They found the bottom of the shaft choked with piles of linker weight the tour rents of water which poured hito the mine. All of this timber had to be removed before the endless of the rescuers the entoneed men outh be rescribed.

THE CABINET CRISIS

In France Promises to Become a Grave Affair.

PARIS, Jan. 15 .- The newspapers without exception are of the opinion that the solution of the ministerial crisis (the Cabinet and difficult matter. The Radical and So-cialist organs though jubilant at the fall of the Cabinet show anxiety in regard to of the Cabinet show anxiety in regard to the appointment of their successors. The Monarchist organs assert that the Republic is passing through a period of difficulty which may assume grave proportions, and which may even involve the Elysse. The moderate Republican press pays unanimous tribute to the correctness and clearness of the attitude of ex-Premier Dupuy, who has fallen, it is asserted, only because he was determined to safeguard constitutional principles.

Many persons blame M. Barthou, the ex-Minister of Public Works, for not having shown the same reserve as M. Dupuy, and they reproach M. Barthou with having caused the Cabinet's downfail.

The consensus of opinion is that the only possible solution of the difficulty is a Republican concentration under M. Burgeois.

WHERE IS BANKS?

Many Farmers in Pettis County Anxlous to Meet Him.

MRS. OPEL'S ALLOWANCE.

THE LEADERS IN JANUARY LOW PRICES.

WHO WILL CONTINUE THIS

GREATEST OF JANUARY SALE

By the ADDITION OF NEW ATTRACTIONS and STILL FURTHER REDUCTIONS on Last Week's Prices

THE LOW PRICES NAMED THIS WEEK ARE WITHOUT PRECEDENT and Will Consist of the Following Goods, Fresh, Clean and all of OUR WELL-KNOWN SUPERIOR GRADES,

Such as We Are Noted for Selling, and Guaranteed Just What They Are Represented. All the Following Mentioned Goods Have Never Been on Sale at Prices Now Named, and Will Be Found Worthy of Examination.

Black Silks and Satins.

24-inch wide Black Satin Rhadames, \$1.00 quality,
Now 75 cents a yard.
24-inch wide Black Satin Rhadames, \$1.25 quality,
Now 36 cents a yard.
Black Satin Duchesse, \$6.25 quality, now 73 cents a yard.
Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.10 quality, now 73 cents a yard.
Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.20 quality, now 73 cents yard.
24-inch wide Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.25 quality,
Now 35 cents yard.
24-inch wide Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.35 quality,
Now \$1.08 yard.
27-inch wide Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.25 quality,
Now \$1.75 yard.
Small Figured Black Gros Grain, 30.20 quality,
Now \$1.75 yard.
Small Figured Black Gros Grain, \$1.25 quality,
Now \$1.08 yard.
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Small Figured Black Gros Grain, \$1.25 quality,
Now \$2 cents yard.
Small Figured Black Satin Duchesse, \$1.10 quality,
Now 73 cents yard.

Continuation of Reduction Sale in Handkerchief Department.

For one week longer we will sell Ladies' Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs, worth 25c each, for 10 cents.

Another lot, worth 35c each, for 15 cents.

25 per cent off on all Men's Silk and Wool Mufflers.

Balance of Remnant of Laces.

All widths and qualities in white, cream, biscuit and black,
At still further reductions.

Do not fall to see these splendid bargains.

In Our Embroidery Department We are daily opening up new ideas and designs in Nainsook, Swiss and Cambric.

Colored Silks and Satins.

ADDITIONS OF SEVERAL JOB LOTS JUST SECURED.

COLORED SILKS.

Small Figured and Striped Glace Taffeta, 68c and 78c quality, NOW 48 CENTS YARD. Illuminated Figured Glace Taffeta, Styles Equal to Anything Ever Shown,
PRICE 78 CENTS YARD.
Sold during the season at \$1.00 and \$1.19. Small Figured Changeable Gros de Londre and Glace Taffeta, \$1.38 and \$1.50 Qualities, NOW 97 CENTS YARD. Assorted Sizes Check Taffeta, 90c Quality, NOW 68 CENTS YARD. Assorted Styles Fancy Check Taffeta, Formerly \$1.10, NOW 83 CENTS YARD. Black Ground Small Colored Figured Satin Duchesse, \$2.00 Quality, NOW \$1.574 YARD. Colored Moire Francaise, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Qualities, NOW 97 CENTS YARD. \$3.00 Quality Colored Moire Antique, NOW \$1.48 YARD. Ondine Bengaline, Evening Colors Only, \$1.00 Quality, NOW 624 CENTS YARD. Crystal Bengaline, Dark Colors, \$1.00 Quality, NOW 48 CENTS YARD. White Japanese Habutal Silk, 40c Quality, NOW 25 CENTS YARD. Stripe, Check and Plaid Wash Silks, 580 Quality, NOW 39 CENTS YARD.

Our January Linen Sale

Broken line of patterns, sold all season at \$1.50, Now \$1.13 Dozen.

DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, 2x2 yards, \$1.76 each; reduced from \$2.55. 2x2½ yards, \$2.19 each; reduced from \$2.65 FRINGED HUCK TOWELS, ALL LINEN, 14x27, \$1.00 Dozen; 17x33, \$1.75 Dozen. PLAIN HEMMED TOWELS, 16x32, 10 Cents Each; formefly 12½ each 17x36, 15 Cents Each; formerly 20c each. HEMSTITCHED HUCK TOWELS, 17x38, 11c Each; reduced from 15c. 19x38, 18c Each; reduced from 22½c. A GOOD QUALITY SHEET, 81x90, 44c Each; 90x90, 48c Each.

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PILLOW CASES,
At 74c, 8%c, 16c, 11c Each.

WASHSTAND SCARFS, 15 Cents Each.

BUREAU SCARFS, 7 yards long, 33c Each.

HEMSTITCHED LINEN TRAY CLOTHS,
With drawn work in corners, 29c and 29c each.

ONE-YARD FRINGED DA MASK LUNCH CLOTHS,
With two rows of open-work, 79 Cents Each.

ARMS SEIZED.

Suspicious Cargoes of Three Mysterious Steam Yachts.

The Vessels Were Chartered in New York and Boston.

ONE OF THEM DETAINED BY CUSTOM OF-FICERS IN FLORIDA.

They Were Intended to Carry a Filibus. tering Expedition to Cuba or Venez uela-How the Vessels Were Secured for the Special Service - Mysterious Mr. Mantell-Owners Anxious About

FERNANDINA, Fla., Jan. 15 .- One hundred and forty cases of the latest model Winchester and Remington rifles and Colt's revolvers, stored in one of Borden & Co.'s warehouses, have been seized by Collector | filbusters and cases of canno of Customs Baltzel on Special Inspector An-

den arrived in Boston late in December. He said that he was in search of a steamship. After trying in vain for some days he was introduced to Mr. Gjert Loots of No. 161 Milk street, who is the agent of the Baracoa. Owing to slack business in the fruit rade, the steamship had been laid up for ten weeks. Mr. Loots and Mr. Borden came to terms, the steamship was fitted out, and on Sunday, Jan. 6, she steamed out to the upper harbor, whence she sailed the following day.

Mr. Lootz was seen at his home, No. 116 St. Botolphs street. He said: "As the Baracoa had been idle so long, we were glad when a friend introduced Mr. Borden. Mr. Borden was a most delightful gentleman-charming and attractive. He said the Baracoa was to run to Fernandina, and there take on cargo and go on a cruise to the West Indies.

"He came to terms with me and I turned the boat over to him. He paid me a month's charter money, and thus far everything was all right.

"It was agreed that the Baracoa could go to the West Indies and as far south as the north coast of South America and as far north of Cape Hatteras as Boston. The terms as to going south were suggested by Mr. Borden. The only interesting thing I moticed about the charter party was that it was provided that the Baracoa could go from one West Indian port to another with 200 passengers and some machinery. I told Mr. Borden that this was very unusual, but he said that he wanted to take them over, with the machinery, to work on one of the islands. He said they were laborers and would have two or three foremen with them. The ports of destination were hot named."

What Mr. Lootz has said only adds to the mystery shout the objects of Mr. Borden's

them. The ports of decimination only adds to the mystery about the objects of Mr. Borden's errand. The 200 "laborers and foremen" with the cases of "machinery" has been known in the annals of the merchant marine on this coast of the Atlantic to turn into

may have been delayed by stormy weather in reaching Savannah or she may have started for Fernandina direct.

THE TANK BLEW UP

Disastrous Gasoline Explosion in a Printing-House.

HILLSBORO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Four gallons of gasoline in a tank connected with a Regan vapor electro-gas engine exploded this morning in a Hillsboro newspaper printing house, damaging the building and contents several hundred dollars.

The gasoline flames filled the work room in a second, and three workmen were more or less injured.

S. P. Preston, the foreman, who was feeding a job press within 3 feet of the exploded tank, was severely, but not dangerously burned. His clothing was a mass of flame when he kicked out a window in the building and jumped into the street, where the burning clothing was torn from his person by the four or five persons who had already rushed to the scene. The type and presses are in bad condition, but not ruined.

SHELBYVILLE, Ill., Jan. 15.—The remains of James Ward were buried here today. Mr. Ward was killed Saturday at Powell, Tex., by the cars. He was a prominent business man of this city up to a few years age, when he went to Texas, where he had large landed interests.

SWEARINGER ON TRIAL.

Charged With Attemped Murder of August Vettar. SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 15.—The trial of George Swearinger, who is wanted for the murder of David Morgan at Fargo, N. D., and upon whom suspicion rests as the murderer of Isaac Kahn, who disappeared from South Bend, was begun to-day at St. Joseph. Swearinger is now being tried for the attempted murder of August Vetter. He is a desperate criminal and has made frequent attempts to polson his wife, whose testimony he fears. The trial promises to be sensational.

ROBBERY AT LOUISIANA, MO.

William Burgs, Charles Griffle and Chas. Ross Held In St. Louis for It. On the strength of a letter from Consta-ble George Shepherd of Lousians, Mo., Wm. Burns, alias Will Thornton, colored, was arrested Mondey evening in the rear of 505 South Fourth street, on the charge of burglary. Charles Griffie and Charles Ross, also colored, were arrested at the same time and place on suspicion of being

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Changeable Glace Taffets, for skirts and lining, 85c Quality, AT 69 CENTS YARD.

Cullom Gathering Strength in

CAUCUS OF THE OPPOSITION TO BE

SPRINGFIELD, III., Jan. 15.—Every effort will be made this afternoon to unite the Cook County Republican members upon one of the three Senatorial candidates from one of the three Senatorial candidates from Chicago. All attempts to crystalize the opposition to Cullom have so far failed and success does not appear to be any nearer than heretofore. The caucus of Cook County members is to be held late this afternoon. The general prediction this morning is that neither Mason, Willits nor Adams will be able to secure the solid Cook County vote, and that the caucus will adjourn without reaching any definite result.

This morning a delegation of anti-Cullom

and success the content of the conte Young Cullom's introduction to the state on which he was afterward to reflect so much credit was made under rather unfavorable circumstances. Besides the Indians and the newness of the country that was the famous "winter of the deep snow." If the traditions of the country may be believed, the snow was about 20 feet deep on the level ground.

Young Cullom grew up on his father's farm and performed all sorts of farm work in the days when agriculture was still without the advantages of modern machinery and implements. In those times there was no such thing as a riding plow or cultivator, no mowing machine, no harvester. Shelby was trying to earn money enough to take him away to school, and he begged his father to give him the use of a breaking team and plow. A breaking team consisted of five yokes of oren, and the plow was an enormous, unwelldy affair, with a two-foot mold-board and with handles like a pair of fence rails. Young Cullom took this outfit from farm to farm and "broke" the prairie sed with it for so much an acre. It was hard work and trying work, as the ground in many places was "barrens" full of brush and roots. There

HOMELESS ORPHANS SCALES,

They Will No Longer Be Sent to the Refuge.

and led eighteen men with a scythe in my hand, and did more work than any of them."

Cullom's father was a prominent Whig, and served two or three terms in the Legislature. Among his friends was Abraham Lincoln, whom the elder Cullom had helped in his race for Congress. When Shelby became seized with an ambition to become a lawyer, it was arranged that he was to go up to Springfield and study law in Lincoln's office. But it turned out that Lincoln was at that time a busy man, riding the circuit on horseback as all the successful lawyers of the day did, and he advised Cullom to go into a law office where the lawyer was at home more than he was. So he went into the office of Stewart & Edwards. While studying law his friends asked him to run for city attorney, and he consented. Though a mere stripling, who had not yet been admitted to the bar, he was elected by a majority of four votes. "Those four votes changed my whole career," says Senator Cullom, "and I sometimes wish the four majority had been on the other side. Had I been defeated for that office, probably I should never have run for another, and instead of being a nearly worn-out public servant with nothing in the house to eat and a poverty stricken old age coming on I should now be a rich lawyer."

Those four votes settled the business,

REVIVALIST KAYLOR. He Inaugurated a Series of Services Mon

Rev. A. H. Kaylor, the evangelist, arrived in the city Monday night, and at once inaugurated special revival services at the Mission of First M. E. Church South, 1432



Frenklin avenue. A large congregation listened to Mr. Kaylor and seven pro-lessed conversion. Rev. M. B. Gott is pas-or of the mission.

on Weshirgton Avenue.

The proposition to erect a "Woman Building," inaugurated about a year, it assumed tangible proportions and arrangents for the building begun. The atructuril be on the corner of Grand and Wasington avenues, and will cost \$50,000, which sum \$100,000 has been quaranted by women interested in the enterprise a \$20,000 by other parties. A description the proposed structure has already peared in the Poet-Dispatch. Mr. Allo Swassy, the architect who will supervise at the structure, states that there will be alteration in the original plana, and the contract for the work will soon made. The managers of the anterprise has had an option on the site for come if which will be transferred into a purcha within the next faw days.

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DEATHS.

AYLWARD—Monday, Jan. 14, at 4 p. m., after a short illness, John Aylward beloved husband of Hanora Aylward, aged 50 pers.

Funeral from family residence, 1220 North Twentieth street, Wednesday, Jan. 16, at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

COURTENAY—Suddenly on Jan. 1, 1805. (New Year's Day), at Johns-Hill House, Waterford, Ireland, Sarah Courtenay, selict of the late Edward Courtenay, Eaq., aged 75 years.

OGARTY—On Monday, January 14th, 1806, at 10 o'clock a. m., Mary Fegarty, wife of William Fogarty, mother of Mamie, Nanie, Katie and Nora Fogarty, Mrs. William J. Griffin, Mrs. John E. Scott, and sister of John E. Carroll.

The funeral will take place Wedpesday, 16th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from family readdence, No. 1413 North Sixteenth street, to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Chouteau Lodge, No. 1651, K. and L. of H.

New York and San Francisco (Cal.) papers

SILCH—On Monday, Jan. 14, Edward, beloved husband of Rose Silch (nee Neary), aged 31 years.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday,
Jan. 16, from the residence, 8150 North Thirteenth atreet, at 2 p. m., to the Church of Good
Counsel, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends
are invited.

AN NORSTRAND—At 3 s. m. Monday, Jan. 14th, in his 65th year, Jacob Van Norstrand, loved husband of Frances Henshaw Post Van Mor-

Funeral from First Congregational Church on Vednesday at 2:30 p. m. Interment private,

Frank Ashmer, 64, 1002 South Seventh atreet; Baroas lity. Ellasbeth Moog, 44, 2413 North Thi treet; respittent force. Infant of David Ladell, Pday, 3519 Austin John W. Thompson, 84, 3013 Dickson

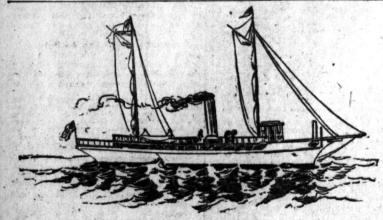
ARE DESTITUTE.

the Police.

George Walker, a blind negro, 60 year old, living in the rear of 1200 Wash street. Jamie Madison, colored, of 1806 North His street, Mary Duffy and two children, 1234 North High street, in the rear, as Ellen Murray, of 1802 North Thirteent street, are in destitute circumstances as worthy of assistance.

James Boram, a negro, 30 years old, living in a shed in the rear of 604 Pags street, without provisions, fuel or ofching. Louisa Winkler and her two children arcick and destitute at 1442 South Secondires.

In Mid Winter



THE YACHT AMADIS.

on's order of the Treasury Departmen y made in all 180 cases of arms volued a

They made in all 180 cases of arms volued at \$35,00.

They were shipped from New York on the steam yachts Lagonda, Amadis and Baracoa, and were brought here by Jose Martell, the Cuban revolutionist, who chartered the yacht Lagonda in New York. The goods were consigned to N. B. Borden. There are about 130 cases, and they were found in Borden's warehouse on the river front. Mr. Borden frankly admitted that they were in the warehouse when the Collector approached him.

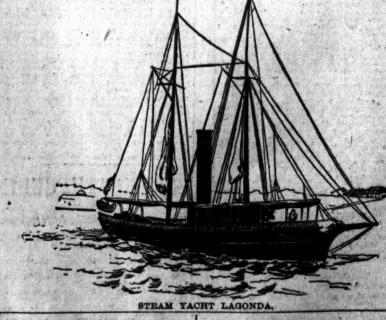
The cases contain cavalry accourtements and sabers; but they have not all been opened yet. The seizure was ordered by the Treasury Department. Everything necessary to equip a small army of about 800 men was found in the lot. There were 300 Winchester repeaters and Remington repeating rifles, 100 Colt's revolvers, several hundred sahers, canteens, leather belts, oilcloths, blankets, haversacks, caps, cartridges and other implements of war. They were all placed in charge of a special deputy, and the United States District Attorney was telegraphed for.

Martell and Jose Mirandi are the leaders

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Martell and Jose Mirandi are the leaders of the Cuban revolutionists in Florida, a colony of whom, about 300 in all, are established on an obscure island in the Gulf, awaiting the arrival of the steamer Baracoa. It is thought that the fillibustering expedition is aimed at Cuba, but the Post-Dispatch correspondent is informed that the expedition was to sail for Port Limon, on the east coast of Costa Rica, after taking aboard from 100 to 200 men, defined in the charter as "laborers." Mr. Borden considers that he had been unfairly dealt with, and avers that he had no knowledge of the intentions of the Spanish speaking gentlemen for whom he had been acting. It is rumored that the Baracoa will be saized tonight. United States District Attorney Clark of Jacksonville is here conducting the Government inquiry.

THE MYSTERIOUS YACHTS.



Bome of the men along the water-front recall the fact that the British Government is supposed to be behind a reballous movement against Venezuela, where the present de facto Government is opposed to British aggrandisement along the Orinoco. But the weight of opinion is that the yachts were intended to land a filibustaring expedition somewhere in Cuba.

George H. Kimball, owner of Amadis, left Cleveland yesterday for the East. He is trying to find out what has become of his vessel. Since leaving Hampton Roads on Thursday the yacht has not been seen. She

SURE TO WIN

the Senatorial Race.

Cook County Men Fail to Combine on an Opponent.

HELD THIS EVENING.

The First Ballot Thursday Night May Renominate the Illinois Senator-Tanner Certain of Success-Little Work Being Done by the Legislature-One Peniten-

MARSHALL, Mo., Jan. II.—John Br.
wsy, forger, took Rough on Rats in Sa
County Jail last night. Doctors pum
him out. He is better and sorry he
not die.

POLAR PERILS. LONE UNDERSHIRT. MOTHERS ACT.

The Nansen Expedition Believed to Have Perished.

His Good Ship Fram Caught and Crushed by the Ice.

THE EXPLORERS MAY BE ALIVE LOOK-ING FOR RELIEF.

Northern Travelers Think He Was Com-pelled to Abandon His Ship After a Year of Aimless Drifting in Arctic Waters-The Theory Upon Which the Dector Was President

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Grave fears for the safety of the Nansen Arctic expedition are general among Arctic ovyagers of Great Britain and Scandanavia. Lieut. Hoygard, of the Dimphna expedition, which was wrecked in the Kara Sea, has expressed the opinion to the Danish Geographical Society that there is no questraphical

All the Clothing Worn by Insane John T. Gilbert.

cago.

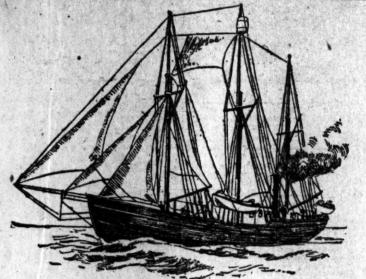
A registry receipt was found on his person signed by the Postmaster at Mason City, Ill., and a letter sent to Rt. Rev. Seymour, L. L., D.D., Springfield, Ill.

He states that the Lord commanded him to take off all his clothing last night and cast away all his paper money, if. His gold and silver he kept in his mouth.

He appears crazy on the subjects of religion and women. He is now confined in jail here awaiting communication with relatives. His feet may have to be amputated. Gilbert is about 50 years old.

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tion but the Fram has been crushed in the ice and Dr. Nansen and his party are retreating. The opinion is held by other travelers that Dr. Nansen after a year of drifting abandoned his vessel and is returning by the nearest route in expectation of meeting a relief expedition. Dr. Nansen left Norway in the Fram in June, 1883, and on July 24 of the same year a telegraph from Berlewang, on the north ceast of Norway, reported his programme as follows: To the New Siberian Islands, and then directly north until the Fram should be imbedded in the ice and drift along with it, following the west coast of any land that might be met with northwards. On Aug. 23, 1893, Dr. Nansen sent a dispatch from Vardo, which he had written in Charabowa, in the Yugorski Strait, on the 2d of



DR. NANSEN.

the same month, announcing that he was about to sail into the Kara Sea, and that the Fram had behaved splendidly.

Nansen was proceeding on the theory that "a current is constantly running across the polar region somewhere north of Franz Josef Land from the sea north of the Siberian coast and Behring Strait and into the sea between Spltzbergen and Greenland." This being granted, the natural way to rach the north pole is to enter the current where it runs northward and come out with it where emerges from the arctic circle. This idea could be carried out. Nansen believed, either by encamping on an ice floe, living there and "floating across," or by being provided with a ship strong enough to withstand the pressure of the ice. It is the latter plan that Nansen followed. He firmly believed that the current would carry him to or toward the pole, and at any rate far into the vast unknown realm lying north of Wrangel Island and Point Earrow, the quarter of the Arctic zone in which least progress poleward has been made.

HOLMES IN THE CLASS ROOM.

and Always Quaint.

Dr. Holmes, says Dr. Timothy Dwight, writing in Scribner's Magazine, did his utmost to adopt a sprighly manner, and let no opportunity for a jest escape him. These would be received with quiet appreciation by the lower benches, and with uproarous demonstration from the "mountain," where, as in the French Assembly of the Revolution, the noisiest spirits congregated. He gave his imagination full play in comparisons, often-charming and always quaint. None but Holmes could have compared the microscopical colled tube of a sweat gland to a fairy's intestine. Medical readers will appreciate the spiness of likening the mesentery to the shirt rumles of a preceding generation, which from a short line of attachment expanded into yards of complicated folds. He has compared the fibers connecting the two symmetrical halves of the brain to the band uniting the Slamese twins. His lectures frequently contained aids to the memory, which seemed, perhaps, child-ish to the more advanced. I can almost hear, him say, speaking of the acromion process of the shoulder blade: "Now, says the student, how shall I remember that hard word" Let him think of the Acropolis, the highest building in Athens, and remember that the acromion is the highest point of the shoulder."

DR. NANSEN'S SHIP FRAM.

MANN DISASTER.

Recalled by aDamage Suit Against the Big Four.

Suit has been commenced in the East St.
Louis City Court for damages for the death
of one of the victims of the terrible disaster
at Wann one year ago. Charles Herman of
Alton sues the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Co. for \$5,000
damages for the death of his son, Charles
Herman, Jr., who was burned to death by
faming oil thrown from the tanks which
exploded after the collision of the passenger
train with the string of tank cars. Herman
brings suit through his attorney, A. W.
Hope of Alton, and asks for \$5,000 damages
for the leath of his son. According to the
recital of the lengthy bill of particulars
filed by the attorney, Charles Herman,
aged II, was passing along a side street
fully 350 feet from the scene of the memorable wreck, when a quantity of burning oil
from one of the exploding tanks struck him. fully 350 feet from the scene of the memorable wreck, when a quantity of burning oil from one of the exploding tanks struck him. Notwithstanding his distance from the explosion, a large quantity of the flaming fluid fell upon him and so completely enveloped him that he was burned about the head, face, ears, hands and body, being so badly injured that he died soon after. The accident occurred Jan. 21, 1883, and many other persons were killed and injured. A Big Four passenger train ran into the side-track at Wann at full speed, and collided with a train of freiht cars loaded with tanks of oil. A number of persons were killed and injured in the collision and the horrors of the accident were heightened by subsequent explosions. The wrecked cars caught fire and the flames spread to the oil tanks, which exploded and killed and injured many persons living in the vicinity who were spectators at the scene of the wreck.

ACTORS SCRAP.

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An impromptu scrap between two members of Cleveland's minstrel troup enlivened the afternoon rehearsal at the McCasiand Opera-house. Join Du Bha, a trapezist, "slugged" George Sowers, an "end man," with a right-hander that damaged the latter's forehead and almost demolished his eyeglasses. As the result, the trapezist was soon landed in the police station, where he told a peculiar story. eH said he regreted the blow almost as soon as it was struck, and immediately offered to pay damages; that Sowers demanded \$50, which he could not pay, but he tendered \$5 to pay for the dressing of the "end man's" damaged forehead. Finding that he could not settle the case, Du Sha entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$10 by Justice Wilson. The fight was precipitated by Sowers treading upon some of the trapezist's apparatus.

And Deserved Kicking Out of the Theater Without Mercy.

Maiming of Children by Street Cars Must Stop.

Crusade for Fenders Is Now On in Real Earnest.

CRUEL AND BLOODY RECORD MADE IN THE PAST THREE WEEKS.

Franklin Ferris Will Strongly Advocate Compelling the Companies to Provide Means of Safety Some Strong Expressions From Citizens Living in the West End-Parents

The numerous accidents of late caused by persons being run down by street cars have caused the residents of a certain section of the West End to enter an indignant pro-test against the apparent indifference to the safety of the public by their failure to provide any sort of a safety appliance on their cars to guard against a person who is unfortunate enough to be struck by one of them, being thrown directly under the wheels, and thereby ground to death. The feeling in the matter is so strong among these people that they have at last determined to attempt to take the matter into their own hands and the result is that a petition is about to be circulated among them which, after being signed by hundreds of citizens, will be introduced into the City Council. This petition requests that all street railway companies be compelled by law to provide fenders on the front of all their cars. The prime movers in this action are the mothers of children who attend the Dozier School, which is located at the corner of Goodfellow and Maple avenues. These children number over 20 and are daily obliged to cross the tracks of the Suburban road on Goodfellow avanue, just two blocks south of the school. This crossing is one of the most dangerous in the city. On the southeast corner of the crossing a large barn is built which extends to the very edge of the track, and which effectually shuts out all view of the tracks to a person approaching them from the south. On the other side of the street a number of evergreen trees which likewise grow in close proximity to the tracks, renders the sight of an approaching car equally difficult.

Residents in that locality all join in the declaration that, notwithstanding the extreme dangerous nature of this crossing, motormen are very careless in running their cars past this point. They fail to sound the warning bell and unless passengers wish to get on or off they run by at a high rate of speed, even at the hours when the children are obliged to cross.

SCENE OF SEVERAL ACCIDENTS.
Several accidents, some of which have resulted fatally have already happened in that immediate vicinity and the fear that a repetition of them will occur at this crossing is a constant source of dread to parents whose children are obliged to cross these on their way to and from school.

Mothers kiss their childr

passed over the helpless individual, crushing him to powder.

VALUE OF FENDERS.

It has long been contended by parties who considered competent authority on such questions that an ordinary iron fender, extending several feet in front of the car and within about three inches of the ground would lessen this danger greatly.

In a case where a fender of this kind was in operation a person struck by a moving car would first be struck by the fender. It would strike him in the region of the ankle and as the tendency in such cases is to fall backwards, he would fall on the fender and be carried along by the car instead of falling under the wheels as he would if no fender was in use.

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With a fender in operation about the worst injury that a person struck by a car could receive would be a broken leg, but that is comparatively nothings to the injury one is liable to receive if struck by one of these cars going at a high rate of speed with no fender attached.

Rev. William Elmer, pastor of the Church of the Ascensión, stated that several of his parishioners have refused to send their children to the Dozler School on account of the dangerous character of the crossing on Goodfellow avenue and the careless manner in which the motormen ran their cars past that point.

COUNCILMAN FERRISS ADVOCATES IT Mr. Franklin Ferriss, a member of the City Council, said that he has been strongly in favor of street rallways using fenders on their cars for a long time.

"My attention was called to it," he said, "soon after I was elected a member of the Council, and it struck me as being a most desirable thing. At a meeting of the Rallroad Committee about a year ago, at which several street car men were present, the question of fenders came up, and the rallroad committee about a year ago, at which several street car men were present, the question of fenders came up, and the rallroad committee about a year ago, at which several street car men were present, the question of fenders came up, and the rallroad committee about a pear ago, at which several street car men were present, the question of fenders came up, and the rallroad committee about a pear ago, at which several street car men were present, the question is presented to public. The Municipal assembly has the puwer to regulate and control street rallroads as to the kind of vehicles they shall use, and in my opinion it has also the power to compel them to adopt any opinion is presented to the Council requesting that an ordinance be passed compelling all street car lines in t

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parents of this city would realize the necessity of taking immediate action."

THE PETITION.

The following petition is being very generally circulated to-day:

"To the Members of the Municipal Assem." bly of St. Louis, Mo.: The undersigned citizens of St. Louis respectfully call the attention of your honorable body to the great loss of life and the imminent danger, especially in the case of young children and infirm persons, which attends the use of street cars unprovided with fenders, and we urge your honorable body to enact a suitable or-dinance, which shall compel all street cars in this city to be equipped with suitable

easonable precautions as may be required. THREE WEEKS' RECORD.

The following is a list of those who were un down and maimed by street cars during the past three weeks:
IAMES CORRIGAN, a laborer living at 1533
Vall place, struck by a car at Grand and Lafayette avenues, Dec. 25; injured on the

Lafayette avenues, Dec. 25; injured on the head.
JOHN MOORE of 1928 Carr street, struck by an electric car of the Citizen's Railway.
Co., Dec. 25; rib and nose broken.
MISS WINIFRED M'HALE of 3538 Page avenue, injured in a car Dec. 27 at Chouteau and Theresa avenues; car jumped the track.
BARNEY COONEY of 8223 Vulcan street, struck by a South St. Louis electric car, Dec. 28, at Broadway and Schirmer street; cut over the eye and right arm dislocated. Was driving a wagon.
WILLIS VOGT of 3859 California avenue, struck by a South St. Louis electric car, Dec. 30, at Jefferson avenue and Chippewastreet; badly bruised. He was driving a wagon.

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FRANK HORSTETTER of 6230 Von Versen avenue and Miss Timmerman of 531 North Spring avenue, were struck by a Lindell motor car on Delmar, between Taylor and Walton avenues, Jan. 2; Miss Timmerman was bruised on the head.
LULU JOHNSON of 3529 Papin street, struck by a Lindell railway electric car at Cardinal avenue, Jan. 3; was killed.
WM. CONROY of 6503 Penna avenue, struck by a Southern electric, Jan. 8; leg fractured.

A FRENCH BOMANCE.

An Academician Falls Heir to His From the St. James Gazette.

From the St. James Gazette.

M. Joseph Bertrand, the well-known French academician and permanent Secretary of the Academy of Sciences, has just celebrated his golden wedding. The circumstances under which he became engaged to his wife form a romance surpassing the most lively efforts of the sensational novelist. In 1842, soon after the opening of the Versailles Railway, Admiral Dumont d'Urville, a distinguished officer, famous for the discovery of the Venus of Milo, as well as for many more strictly professional exploits, was traveling from Paris with his as for many more strictly professional exploits, was traveling from Paris with his charming young bride and his private secretary. A heated axle set the carriage on fire, and, according to the then prevailing custom, the doors were locked. The Secretary escaped through the window, and did his best to rescue the other two. Admiral Dumont d'Urville thrust the fainting lady out of the narrow aperture into young Bertrand's arms, crying. "Save her! Save her! my friend, and marry her." An instant later the blazing woodwork fell in upon the gallant old sailor and he was speedily reduced to a cinder. The Secretary fulfilled his dying master's injunction and two years later led the widow to the altar. Besides Mme. Bertrand he retains another souvenir of that tragic day in the shape of a scar across the nose where the red-hot debris of the carriage left an indelible mark.

From the Chicago Times.

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Nothing is more-remarkable than a comparison of the same-sized profile views of the same person at 6 and 30 years of age. The growth of the nose and the development of the forehead are so great that the jaws appear to have diminished in size—and this is really what the jaw has done, in proportion to the whole face.

It is a fond delusion with visitors and nurses that the baby is just like its father or mother. No one who has had that scientific training necessary to proper observation could make such a statement. It is a gross libel sometimes on the baby, sometimes on the parents. Properly taken photographs show that the proportions of nearly every feature in the face of a baby and an adult are entirely different, but the greatest difference exists in the size and shape of the nose and the size of the jaws. lier transmission from generation to generation may be the basis of specific mutation, without calling in the sid of natural or sexual or physiological selection to account for that phenomenan.

The prograthism of a child is less noticeable than it should be, because such prognathism, owing to the disposition of weight, alters the whole carriage of the head, and the difference in the mathod of carrying the head obscures the prograthism to a certain extent.

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BELLEVILLE NEWS.

and Gossip.

A stranger who wore the uniform of a French Lieutenant and who could only speak the language of La Belle France applied to Victor Lavaux, a Main stret business man, for assistance on his way to New Orleans. He said he was Lieut. Ducrat, and exhibited a paper to show that he had been honorably discharged from the French Army. He stated that he had come to America to find a brother, whom he supposed to be in Wilkesbarrs, Pa. Arriving at that place, he learned that his brother had moved to Chicago, and he journeyed on to the Lake City, only to be again disappointed. In Chicago he was told that his brother had gone to some place in the Northwest, and his cup of misfortune was filled to the brim when he ran afoul of a confidence man, who secured all his money, about \$300. Being left penniess, he wandered about until he landed in St. Louis, where he applied to the French Consul declared to assist him, and he started to walk to New Orleans, hoping to find friends among the French residents of that city. He started out along the Cairo Short line track and walked to Belleville. Mr. Lavaux was so impressed with his countryman's tale of woe that he, with the assistance of Col. Casimir Andel, commander of Militia Co. D, made up a purse sufficient to pay the expenses of the French roleans to Newsoness of the French soldier to New Orleans.

Rettinghouse and Susan Coulter of Prairie du Long.
Charies Robeson, colored, a pensioned veteran of the Civil War, died af his home, ill C street, aged 71 years.
Mrs. Haynor of Waterloo is visiting the family of L. D. Turner.

Mrs. Adam Krafft is entertaining Miss Clara Zierath of New Athens. Cassius Neighbors, a private watchman, who was recently injured by a fall, has resumed his beat on Main street. resumed his beat on Main street.

Dr. C. G. Rayhill has returned from Sweet
Springs, Mo.

Louis Krisner of St. Louis, formerly of
Belleville, visited friends here.

Mrs. Fred Duckworth of New Athens visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Schroeder.

CADETS ON SKATES.

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

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MATINEES TO-MORROW. OLYMPIC-E. H. Sothern. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-"Aladdin, Jr." HAGAN-Hopkin's Trans-Oceanics. POPE'S-Dramatic Co.

Nothing could be more damaging the Senate than Gorman's praise of it.

It is well that Mr. Gorman praises himself. Who else is there in his party who would do it?

Addicks' noble rage in bolting the caucus is pardonable. His expenses in the election were heavy.

Whether Don Cameron is hit with a sand-bag or a money-bag, it will be all the same to him if he falls.

If a policeman knows enough to know when it is raining, he ought to know when sprinkling is being done.

Hill hates Gorman, Gorman hates Hill, and both hate Cleveland. Perhaps things would be lovelier if the party had a few Western leaders.

Alonzo Tubbs does not see why Uncl

Filley should be so profane. It is just now Alonzo Tubbs who has all the provo cation to profanity. It seems that statesmen of all parties

have taken to going to Uncle Filley. No wonder the United States Senate seems looming in the vicinity of the Mosque. Mr. Gorman speaks of the vipers of

the press. It is to be hoped that Mr. Gorthe refreshments to be obtained in the Senate restaurant.

Addicks has been downed, and all the money he put into the Delaware campaign is wasted. Mr. Addicks is a free hearted politician, but he lacks the experience of Steve Elkins.

Mr. Gorman says the Senate was cre ated for the purpose of resisting popular waves. The Senate has indeed been a great success in resisting everything pop. is the fact that if the management of the

If the King of Italy has left his privat fortune with foreign bankers and is preparing to flee, and the Vatican is to be sacked in the threatened revolution which may give a republic birth. Roman history may again be made.

Corn, bacon, rice, flour and other pro visions are flowing from the generou South to the starving people of the West, The inhabitants of no section of this at country can long suffer from lack of food when once their necessities are made known.

Lincolntown, Ga., has had six highway ers was held yesterday. They decided "to take steps." The Lincolntown correspondent of the Post-Dispatch has been forward photographs by the next mail.

Free wool seems to be giving the readymade clothing business a boom. Chicago reports that customers are buying more rally than at any time in years, and that the revival of business is most general in Western and Northwestern States Preliminary orders have almost reached the total capacity of American mills.

Had Addicks been a good husband h might have gone to the Senate. His im-morality in the matter of election bribery might have been overlooked if his do-mestic scandal had not loomed on him. Statesmen who are unfaithful to their marriage vows will perhaps take note of the fate of W. C. P. Breckinridge and of J. Edward Addicks.

District Attorney Glenn of North Carolina seems likely to die of old age or pass out of omos before Attorney General Olney returns to him the indictment of the Cigarette Trust, which the Attorney General wanted to examine to see if the points involved were similar to those in the Sugar Trust case. Some future Attorney General will perhaps find the paper in some remote and dusty pigeonhole, along with other documents aimed against organisations that live to pluck their fellow-men.

Isn't the how to be overdone, just as everything else having any profit in it to to protected by a combine is overdone? Is now have the news that a Missouri into estate is buying horses by the carried and cutting them up to feed to his so. Withthe stimulus given hog-raisby cheap wheat and cheap horses, in

Before he steps out of the Cabinet to he rid of Gresham, let Secretary Morton is-us an official warning against either horse flesh or wheat as hog food.

roused to the danger threatening human te and limb in this city through the reck to provide car fenders and other reas for an ordinance compelling the use of circulation and signature. The form of the petitions is published in the Post-Dispatch to-day and copies for signature may be obtained at this office. Ever since the beginning of rapid transit in this city the Post-Dispatch has persistently demanded the adoption of fenders and crossing guards. It has warned the railroads and appealed to the people to express their sentiments and legislators to do their duty in this matter. It is to be hoped the end of wholesale murder by street car juggernauts is in sight.

SOME NEWSPAPER CRITICS.

The Opel divorce case is over, Now, a word to the hypocrites who eagerly read all that was published of it and then denounced the publication as sensationalism. In greater kindness, it may apply to those who honestly deprecated the publicity given the case. What has been the punishment of the offending woman Not her separation from her husband and family. That she chose herself. Not the loss of her interest in her wronged husband's goods and chattels. That she knew she incurred, under the law, by her persistent misconduct. Beyond this the trial judge had no power to reprove. Still, she deserved punishment for her offense against her husband, her offense against her children, her offense against society, in her attack on its chief institu-

Has not the infliction of this punish-ment, in her case, been a deterring lesson for other poor, weak women, trifling with the sentiment of home? Do these sickly critics believe that the shocking picture of this dishonored woman, held up to scorn, in the published evidence of a court, is an incentive to others, tempted and charmed, to follow her footsteps to this eminence of crucifixion? Do they believe that the lesson of this trial has been entirely wasted on husbands and fathers, engrossed in money getting and neglectful of those little kindnesses and safeguards that are often the only barriers against the destruction of domestic happiness? Do they believe that all the exhortations of all the pulpits

of a city would be so corrective? The case is closed and the presentation of these views cannot be mistaken for plea for newspaper license, even though the silly critics should think themselves worthy of such an appeal. It only point out the fact that such censoriousness is man has not been indulging too freely in hypocrisy in the sentimentalists and opinion without judgment in more honest

the way of fenders, the child would have escaped, for he was carried quite a distance before he fell under the murderous

To any one who will consider the ques tion honestly the managers of our electric roads who run cars without fenders are nothing less than murderers, and the kind of murderers-those who nurder innocent beings for the sake of a few paltry dollars.

We know that these men say that they are waiting for a proper appliance, that when a perfectly successful fender is made they will introduce it on their cars. In the meantime they use the whole power of their lobby to prevent legislative bodies from compelling them to use any "imperfect appliances," and in some cases do not refuse to suborn perjurers to save themselves from paying for the lives sacrificed to their greed. If the question was about some appliance to save money instead of lives, they would not "wait" for a "perfect appliance;" they would immediately introduce whatever promised to do their work even imperfectly and supplant it afterwards by

the "perfect" thing when it was invented. As it is, the work of murder goes on, bringing sorrow and desolation to many es, and horror and dread to the minds of all loving parents whose little ones are in constant danger. It is impossible to make little children careful, and electric cars cannot be stopped in an instant. who do not take immediately every pos sible precaution to save the lives of their victims. At present the cars are so constructed as to force the unfortunate be-

ing under the murderous wheel. If the child of some of the "waiting gentlemen" or of some of their relatives or intimate friends were murdered or lacerated, we should undoubtedly see that the "proper appliances" or something equally as good would appear immedi-

Our legislators and Councilm been either indifferent or too much in the power of the corporations to do any-thing. But they should move immedi-ately, in every possible manner, to put an end to this career of slaughter. If a an end to this career of slaughter. If a corporation was held to have been "prima facie" criminally negligent every time a person was killed or maimed by a fender-less car, they would soon find it to their interest to put on a "perfect" or even an "imperfect" or even an

daily danger would join in urging

Ex-Gov. Waits has some good points in his lecture. He said to the Chicagoese: "I don't know that here in Chicago you know what usury is. Out in Colorado we do. In Denver the banks are loaning money at 18 per cent, In Aspen, where I live, it runs as high as 24 per cent."

Somebody notes that the political correspondents neglected to work up a little opposition to Senator Hoar. There was no neglect. Everyone knew that the \$5,000 the old gentleman sent into Alabama to convince the voters down there had made him solid at home.

The Secretary of the American Legation at Peking, Denby, Jr., is in Paris. That beats the foresight of the sunshine correspondents who remain well in the rear of the Japanese army in order that they may be at the front at the conclusion of the war.

Let David Bennett Hill take note of the fate of Boles Penrose, the Quay candidate for Mayor of Philadelphia, and have a care how he joins Matt Quay in opposition to fair and just legislation. Boles Penrose is a melancholy example.

BELATIVES DESERTED HIM.

Dr. Mary Robinson Tells the History of

The man without a financial dream,
The man without a financial scheme
At this ripe time will never have one.
Let him die unknown
And his dust be blown
To the desert wastes where the coyotes run.

If Sophie Lyon stole \$200,000 from the French nobility it is well that she is here in America. Had she gone much longer among noble Europeans, rich American wives would soon have been more neces-

sary than ever. Secretary Morton is out in the West scattering financial wisdom. A Secretary of Agriculture is not necessarily confined to pumpkin seeds and sofshum when everybody else is talking finance.

Bill Cook is charged with being a Demo-crat, but he certainly has some very Re-publican ways. Perhaps he is a Populist who has fused.

It is hard to believe that a Chicago Sheriff does not know checkers from craps. Is it possible that Mr. Stead exaggerated on the Windy?

The range of the kitchen range when the mercury is 10 below is very much extended The Opel decision is rather puckering for

THE PROPLE'S FORUM.

Any plainly written letter, not exceeding 150 words and containing information, suggestion, complaint or comment fit for publication, will be given a place under this head, if accompanied by the writter's name and address as a private guarantee of good faith.

A Word to the Wealthy.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: I thank you for the kind assistance you sent to me. I was in need of the things you kindly sent to me—the nice, warm sheet, pillow slip, pillow and cot. I am a crippled old woman, crippled with rheumatism. The sight of your kind gifts, especially the nice, soft, warm blanket revived me a great deal, for I feel that the promise to the widow is not forgotten. Your good way of doing charities, by taking them to the suffering poor yourself instead of sending them out to stations to be divided by middle parties to favored ones, is the right way. If the rich could but know the privations of the poor I am sure they would spare a little more of their time and find the needy themselves as you did. Dear would spare a little more of their time and find the needy themselves as you did. Dear Post, I cannot tell you how much I thank you for your great kindness. Your own hearts will tell you. I am a workingwoman, but had the misfortune to fall sick with the rheumatism, and if it had not have matism. The sight of your kind gifts, es with the rheumatism, and if it had not have been for Mother Farrington I do not know what I should have done.

MARY GAVINS, 1201 North Sixth street, St. Louis, Mo.

Fraudulent Car Signs.

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To the Editor of the Pest-Dispatch.

As your paper is always to the front to help the helpless, and to oppose the strong in their greed of gain, can't you give your kind help to correct a fraud imposed by the Lindell railway upon the housewives and others that use the Page avenue cars. The line hangs signs upon its cars "Page avenue." When reaching Taylor avenue you are informed that the cars don't go any tur ther; this is often the case with two or more cars following behind. After standing in the cold, and often the rain, for ten, some time twenty, minutes you are able to proceed. This line has a method in this unbusiness-like way of doing. They know before people would stand on the corners down town that long waiting for a Page avenue car, they would walk over to Franklin avenue or Locust street. To prevent them from doing this, they hang out their signs "Page avenue," knowing full well that the car will not make the trip, thus getting the trade from the other lines by practising a mean deception upon the public. Can't you help us out of the fraud committed upon our time lost in standing on the corner of Taylor and Finney avenues.

Three Cents Fare.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispetch:

In the remarks made to your reporter on the lith inst, by the President of the Board of Public Improvements he stated "if the streets have to be given up to the railroads put up the franchise at auction and let the road which will pay the most money into the City Treasury be the one favored in this matter." Our Northern cities have a different way of treating this subject of street railroad franchise and the interests of the public are protected in a better manner, as was recently done in the city of Detroit, where a franchise was granted and accepted to build forty-five miles of new electric line with a proviso that fares should be eight tickets for 5 cents between 5 a. m. and 6 p. m., with a universal transfer ticket if wanted. To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

wanted.
This is one of the latest improvements which, with the 1-cent paper and afternoon fast trains, would materially assist in making St. Louis a city of the first class.
THRDE CENTS FARE.

Know How to Thank.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispate I thank you a thousand t

JOSEPH BELAN, Help for the Suffering.

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THEATER HATS.

A Law to Restrict Their Size May A Stormy Remonstrance Against

the Man She Befriended.

Dr. Mary T. Robinson, in whose apart-ments William T. Smith was found dead ast Friday, has returned to her home, 41031/2 Olive street. She gave the following accoun of how the old man came to be house to a Post-Dispatch reporter:

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"Mr. Smith's life story was a very sad one. He was rich in his youth, and spent his money liberally to help educate his step-brothers and sisters. His stepmother never liked him, and after his father died and he lost most of his money, he was never a welcome visitor at their house.

"I can't tell you exactly how he lost his meney. From what I have heard, Mr. Smith attributel his losses largely to a man named Barney Hunter, who got Smith to go into the cattle business with him and then made the firm pay his private debts to the extent of \$80,000. His brother, Tom Hunter, took the failure of the firm so much to heart that he committed suicide in Vandalla. Smith sued Hunter to recover what he could and I don't think he ever recovered anything.

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"After losing the bulk of his fortune Smith went to New York to visit relatives and was thrown from a horse while out riding and his injuries confined him to a hospital for nineteen months. After that he worked for the United States Coast Survey for awhile. Four years ago he came out here and come to my home. The tamily, consisting of his stepmother, stepbrother and stepsisters, had moved here in the meantime and were living in comfortable circumstances, but he was not wanted at their house. Every time he would go there he'd come back and tell me how they abused him. The last time he went he told me his borther shut the door on him and told him the less he saw of him the better. Mr. Smith was an awfully good-hearted old man. He never said a mean word about his relatives, despite the coldness with which they treated him. I believe his brother, Edgar T. Smith, purchasing agent of the Prisco, did come hare once to see Mr. Smith, but that was all.

"Mr. Smith's death was very sad when you consider that he died here alone while his brother and sisters, who were educated partly on his money, though living only a short distance away, did nothing to cheer his last moments, and that his former partner, Hunter, is living in comfortable circumstances in Springfield, Ill.

"I was in Milton, Ill., when I heard of his death, and when I got back here his body had already been sent to Greenville.

"I never knew the inside of the domestic troubles between Mr. Smith and his relatives, if there was anything further than I have told."

NOW A SALESLADY.

Mrs. Specht Has Withdrawn Her Bill and Is Clerking at Crawford's.

This is the twenty-seventh anniversary of the marriage of Mrs. Emma E. H. Specht to her husband, Joseph. He is a millionaire, now living in .Virginia, and she, still his wife, is a clerk in one of the departments of D. Crawford & Co.

The world already knows of the breach between this couple, formerly so well known in St. Louis, caused as it was by the husband's objections to his wife's peculiar religious views. These differences led to a filing of a bill for separation by Mrs. Specht in the Virginia courts, but this has now been withdrawn.

As matters now stand both sides seem to be resting on their arms awaiting developments.

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Mrs. Specht was very busy this morning at her counter, but she stopped long enough to talk a little of her troubles.

"I have come here," she said, "to earn my living. My husband does not support me in any way. The divorce suit I withdrew Sept. I simply because I thought it best, I now intend to work out my life according to my convictions. I wish it understood that I have not deserted my husband. The moment he will allow me the liberty of my religion, the liberty I have always had through all my married life, I will go straight back to him, but until then I cannot.

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"I have no intention at present of taking any further legal steps. If I should be put on the defensive by my husband's actions I should have to do something, but just what I cannot say. At present I am satisfied to stay here and earn my living."

Mrs. Specht has been in town several months, living with her daughter. She says that Dr. Howard, the head of her cult, is still in Canada.

EXCHANGE OFFICERS.

The newly elected officers of the Merchants' Exchange were installed with appropriate ceremonies, accompanied by a banquet, Monday afternoon. Retiring President W. G. Boyd presided and introduced the new President, Thomas Booth, who made a brief address. Geo. H. Morgam was unanimously re-elected secretary. The remaining old employes were re-elected and F. N. Judson was appointed attorney for the Board of Directors. The certificates of five members, deceased in 183s, were ordered redeemed at \$125. The price fixed for 1835 for the redemption of certificates of deceased members was \$100. The rents for cell board chairs were fixed at \$5. sample drawers \$6 and transportation desis \$25. It was decided not to grant the use of the exchange hall during 1835 for any purpose whatever, except for the Velled Prophet's ball.

The President was authorized to appoint five delegates to represent the exchange at the annual meeting of the National Board of Trade, to be held at Washington on the 57th inst. An amendment to the State law governing the inspection of graps was an experience. newly elected officers of the Mer th inst. An amendment to the State in verning the inspection of grain was oved and will be forwarded to the State in the s

PILOTS PROTEST.

the Third Bridge Bill.

Matter Investigated.

The Teachers Committee Will Have the Matter Investigated.

The severe punishment inflicted on little Henry Heimbacher at the Grant School for a small infraction of the rules, an account of which appeared in the Post-Dispatch Monday, was freely commented upon, and condemned at Tuesday evening's meeting of the Teacher's Committee of the School Board, and an investigation ordered. President Brockman, of the Board, is absent from the city, but Chairman Dieckman of the committee was seen. He stated that he had no knowledge of the affair other than what he had read in the paper—if the published statement was true an outrage had been committed undoubtedly, that would be examined into, and no doubt Superintendent Long would make the proper investigation and report, but, not knowing the facts, he could say nothing further.

Superintendent Long was somewhat skeptical concerning the severity of the punishment, and the use of a horse or buggy whip on young Helmbacher by the principal and teacher. "The regulation instrument of punishment in the schools is the rattan," said he, "and severe punishment is not allowed. I think when the investigation is made you will find that a rattan with a whip handle was used and not a horse whip. As far as bruises on the person, resulting from whipping is concerned, that depends altogether on the kind of a blow will discolor and bruise some children, while others can stand any amount of punishment and no marks will be left. The simple fact that there were blue marks and bruises is not a findicative of severe punishment—the punishment may have been slight. An investigation will be made. It is not often that we have these whippings."

Several members of the board were seen and they all expressed indignation that such a thing should have taken place and condemned brutal punishment in severe terms, but not being familiar with the facts were disposed to await the result of an investigation before expressing an opinion in the case.

He Gets a Verdict of \$2,000 Against the

The jury in the case of W. J. Gates vs. the Wabash Railway Co., suit for \$19,000 damages, returned a verdict Monday night, awarding the plaintiff \$2,000 damages. The plaintiff claimed that through the shock of an accident he had suffered greatly from traumatic neurasthenia.

Tuxedo Sunday-School The members of the new Tuxedo SundaySchool Union, who organized a Christian
Church, were notified Sunday by the Officers of the Union that they could no longer
have the use of the church house. Services
will in future be held at the residence of Mr.
Hull. A Methodist Church has also been
organized within the ranks of the union,
and this seems to have the favor of the officers of the union. Much feeling has been
shown by the parties to the fight in the
union, which was organized for interdenominational church work.

ANSWER TO CORRESPONDENTS.

BILLT.—"Men's leather soles" is correct. D. C. F.—Half dellar of 1809 is worth 65 SUBSCRIBER.-A penny of 1846 is worth

W. V. W.-A half dollar of 1888 is worth

H. H.—We do not give names or addresses of lotteries.

B. O.—Stuart Robson pronounces his name as "Robeson." SUBSCRIBER.—First cousins can ry in Missouri.

New York County. GUSSIE.—You will have to ask some sew-ing machine agent. D. R.—Spokana won the Kentucky Derby at Louisville in 1886.

CONSTANT READER.—There is no pre-mium on a dime of 1882. mium on a dime of 1882.

EUCHRE.—B. caanot play alone. Only the party having "the say can play alone. INQUIRER.—Look in the back of the city directory for secondhand book stores.

YOUNG AMERICAN.—The average lawyer is lucky if he has mastered the English language.

The protest of the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers Pilots' Society, presented in the Senate Monday by Senator Cockrell, is as

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MEN OF MARK. Already extensive preparations have been inaugurated in Germany for the celebra-tion of the 80th anniversary of the birth of Bismarck, which occurs April 1, 1895. Andrew J. Patterson of Tennessee has re-cently been made United States Consul to Demerara, British Guiana. He is a grand-son of ex-President Andrew Johnson, and is a gentleman of high character and ability. He has served several terms in the Legis-lature of his State. lature of his State.

The Washington Star announces that Mr. Hovenden, the well-known painter, has been obliged to give up the idea of permanently residing in that city on account of his inability to secure satisfactory studio accommodations, and regrets the lack of a spacious and properly planned studio building.

Chief Engineer Louis Robinson, who had charge of the Machinery Department at the World's Fair, has salled for Montevideo to assume the duties of fleet engineer of the South Atlantic Squadron.

SLEEP SCIENTIFICALLY DESCRIBED. The phenomena of sieep have been but imperfectly studied, but Dr. Henry Wurz concludes that it is a subject for the physiologist and chemist quite as much as the psychologist. There are good reasons now fully tested by experiment, for believing that normal sleep and sieepiness or drowsiness are due to a small increase over the average of the carbonic acid in solution in the blood, arising through its over-production from the greater amount of muscular and other tissue that undergo oxidation during the waking hours burging the sleeping hours this overload of the anesthetic gas is gradually discharged until wakefulness results.

THE LONGEST WORDS. Below are the nine longest words in the nglish language at the present writing:

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SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

ing the flames, but not before the car was badly scorched.

M. Roux has now 140 horses undergoing immunization. On and after Jan. 1, the authorities of the Pasteur Institute hope to be in a position to supply the whole of France with serum. The impossibility of getting the serum in the provinces is causing an afflux of diphtheria cases to Paris, and the attention of the Minster of Public Works has been called to the dangar to the public health involved in the transport of such patients in ordinary trains.

In closing a review of a book on "The Jewish Method of Slaughter," by Dr. J. A. Dembo of St. Petersburg, Russia, the British Medical Journal says: "We sincerely hope that Dr. Dembo's work will be widely read in this country, not only by scientists, but also by laymen, for we are convinced that the more widely its contents are known the more popular will the Jewish method of slaughter deservedly become."

NEW INSCRIPTION ON THE PAN

SIX LITTLE JOKES. Detroit Free Press-Jones: "I gave my lace to a lady on the street car this morn-is."

South Boston News Margie: "Don't you ink Burt Sawbuck has wheels in his add" Flosse: "I'm pretty sure he has heard him complaining of a tired feeling it the other day."

Cholmant Engages Indeed (Warner)

COMFORTABLE HOUSE GOWNS.

WHAT-NOT CORNER

WOMEN OF THE WORLD.

Della Fox is the loving mistress of a three-pound Chinese poodle that cost \$700. This valuable bunch of white and red hair wears a silver collar set with mock jewels, and dines off chicken and cream and rice.

From Nature.

Corresponding to the words "solvent" and "solution," some word is very badly wanted to express "the dissolved substance." The analagous word is evidently "solute," and it is as short and euphonious as the others, May I inquire why it is not in general use? Surely someone must have proposed it,

A new hansom, which is said to combine the safety of the antiquated "growler" with the smartness and cultook of the more modern vehicle, has been invented by Ernest D. Brewer. The cab runs on four wheels and is fitted with a patent brake and door openers. The driver's seat is at the back and there is a large window in front.

A new film holder has been introduced by a London firm. The film is slid into a sheet-metal carrier, and the wire handle being introduced, the outward tension grips the edges of the film firmly. It can be retained in the holder during the whole time of developing, fixing, washing and drying.

NAPHTHA-BURNING LOCOMOTIVES. A locomotive, fitted for naphtha firing in place of coal, was tested a few days ago on the Baltic Railway in Russia, between St. Petersburg and Oranienbeum. It is reported that the trial resulted so successfully that the same apparatus is to be applied to all locomotives running on that line.

FACT OR FICTION.

Women have colds in the head less frequently than men because they are not coustomed to heavy head coverings.

The pupil of the eye contracts or pands in order to admit a greater or quantity of light, that objects may be cl

Dr. Francis P. Mullally Dis likes Parkhurst's Methods.

Voted Against Indorsing the Popular Reformer's Work.

LIVELY SESSION OF THE STAID NEW YORK PRESBYTERY.

te Preacher With the Four "L's" in His Name Warns the Body That It Has Gone Out of the Beaten Track-Dr. Field Compares Parkhurst to Dante.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—At a more fully at-ended session than has been held since the lays when the heresy hunters were fight-ng Prof. Briggs of Union Theological Semng Prof. Briggs of Union Theological Sem-nary, the New York Presbytery yesterday, with but one dissenting voice, praised the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst for the work he has done in behalf of municipal reform. The dissenting voice was that of the Rev. Francis P. Mulially. Who is Mulially? Why, Mulially is the nan with four "I's" in his name; the man with the stature of a stant, with the head of

with the stature of a giant, with the head of with the stature of a giant, with the head of lion and the voice of a steam calliope. Mullally is the Presbyterian preacher who ame here from the South only a few nonths ago, and, as were the right of his ioth, was given a seat in the Presbytery.
Mulially is the man who at the last meeting of the Presbytery attracted public attention to himself by bitterly attacking the nethods pursued by Dr. Parkhurst as Presdent of the Society for the Prevention of Prime, and by opposing resolutions commending him.

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It was then for the first time that the general public became aware of the existence of Mullaily and his voice, but people living a the neighborhood of No. 62 West Ninety-hird street had known him and his voice for some time before to their sorrow.

For Mullaily is a preacher without a charge, but he believes it his duty to preach just the same. So he has used the front window of his apartments as a pulpit, and here at night with the wide, wide world as his auditorium he has poured his eloquence into the unwilling ears of the neighbors for blocks around.

So effective was his preaching that those who were forced to listen to him complained to the police, and considered dragging him before the Board of Health as a common nuisance.

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Mullally is a fighter, though, as well as a talker, and he attended the Presbytery letermined to stand by his solitary gun to the end. The knowledge that the Parkhurst resolutions were to come up and that Mullally would be there was what made the attendance so large.

Mullally took a front seat. He is about as tall when he is sitting down as most men are when they are standing up. The Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, who is very small in stature but very big in the Presbytery, sat beside Mullaily. His whole body was not much bigger than one of Mr. Mullally's legs.

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They have a docket or calendar in the Presbytery, just as they have in a court. The Parkhurst resolutions were at the bottom of it. But as it was to knock out Mulially and to pass those Parkhurst resolutions that the clergymen had gathered in such force, they did a little parliamentary juggling and made the last come first.

The Rev. Robert R. Booth was sitting as moderator. He is a stickler for ecclesiastical etiquette, so he made a short, pouring oil-on-the-troubled-waters speech.

Rev. W. Scott Watson, a young man, wanted to have the whole matter laid on the table. It looked as though Mulially had a supporter.

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the table. It looked as though Mulially had a supporter.
"It is not for this presbytery to praise itself, or one of its members," he said. "Shall we go further than did Jesus Christ?
"This church does not recognize works of supererogation. If our brother Parkhurst did not do what he had done, he would not have done his duty."

The Rev. Mr. Watson announced that he would not vote on the matter, however, so Mr. Mulially felt again that he was alone. Elder Thomas S. Strong of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church (Dr. Parkhurst's church is the Madison Avenue Presbyterian) withdrew his motion of the last meeting calling for the appointment of a committee to draft complimentary resolutions to Dr. Parkhurst, who was very handsomely praised for his "noble work, untring efforts. etc."

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That started the discussion. The Rev. Dr. Thompson of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, wanted the resolutions to praise the Society for the Prevention of Crime as well as Dr. Parkhurst. Young Dr. Watson came to the front again and wanted to sing the Doxology and adjourn. He was laughed at. Then Mullaily got the floor, and for the next ten minutes the Presbyterians literal to his thunderous tones.

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"I wanted the floor, and the Presbyterians literal to his thunderous tones.

"I wanted defiantly. "You can take the right away from me if you want to. I must discharge my conscience, even though I am thought to be peculiar. No member of this Presbytery can say that I talk for the sake of airing myself."

"Speak to the question," interrupted Moderator Booth, while several usually solemnfaced Presbyterians laughed out loud.

"To consider those resolutions here is a violation of the constitution expressly forbids Church courts from handling any but ecclesiastical matters. This matter of Dr. Parkhurst's work is certainly not an ecclesiastical matter. I don't think any of you would dare assert that there was anything ecclesiastical matter. I don't think any of your propose to take is control to resolutions dopted by the genery mobly of your thurch in 1848 and I wanted the pritual character of our chur

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it is whether Dr. Parkhurst indorses presbytery."
Is was a bit strong for some of the Presbyterians and they mildly cried, y! Nay!"
In Mulially laughed. Then it was agreed apoint Eider Strong, Dr. Van Dyke and Bample a committee to retire for a mottand prepare a resolution which would sty all in its wording. When the questwas put in the affirmative everybody ited "Aye" except Mulially. He sat with a visage until Moderator Booth said, those opposed." Then he opened his ith wids and uttered a long, rolling "Notice."

WIFE AND CHILD.

McCullough of Armourdale Accused of Poisoning Them.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—George McCullough, of Armourdale, who was arrested
Sunday on a charge of vagrancy, will be
held in Jail until the authorities fully investigate the cause of the death of his
wife and child.

Mrs. Ida McCullough, wife of the prisoner, died on Oct. 28. Her death was very
sudden, and it was given out that it was
the result of an acute attack of pneumonia.
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Very little was said about the matter for a few days. The parents of the dead woman, however, believed that the death field the officials. The latter began work on of both was due to poison, and they notitie case. As a result application was made to the County Attorney Friday for a warrant for the arrest of McCullough was due to Mr. and Mrs. G. Franks, the parents of Mrs. McCullough. He had been married about eight years, and it is said that he did not treat his wife as he should. At any rate she filed suit for divorce against him in the District Court last summer, and the case is still on the docket. At the time the suit was filed he was at \$1. Louis. When he arrived home his wife told him of the action. He became very angry, and her mother said he made threats against her life unless she would withdraw the suit. She declined to do so, and a short time after died suddenly.

Two days before her death, it is claimed, McCullough gave her some supper, and the next morning she was taken violently ill. She had all the symptoms of having been poisoned by arsenic, so the officers claim. During her illness she had a high fever, and was all the time calling for water. She died in great agony. The baby died in about the same manner. McCullough's mother-in-law told the officials that McCullough had said after the death of his wife that the haby would not live long, and that his two little boys aged respectively 2 and 6 years, would soon die. The little boys are now living with their grandparants in Armourdale.

Late Friday afternoon Coroner Stevens and a couple of deputy sheriffs went to Oak Grove Cemetery and opened the graves of Mrs. McCullough and her baby and removed the bodies. They took them to the undertaking establishment of Raymond & Co., where a secret post-mortem examination was made. The post mortem exa

STREET RAILWAYS.

Statement Showing Number of Passe gers Carried During Last Quarter.
The following statement of the busine

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ij	Raffroads	Trips.	gers.
ı	Baden and St. Louis	20,417	109,124
9	Cass Ave. and Fair Grounds.	171,406	2,400,689
ı	Citizens'	124,152	1,829,244
3	Jefferson Avenue	22,305	276,144
3	Lindell	368,332	4.761,274
1	Missouri	314,308	3,907,652
1	Peoples'	50,804	948,926
1	St. Louis	183,944	2,605,464
1	St. Louis and Suburban	28,547	1,931,377
1	Southern Electric	75,785	1,068,220
1	Union Depot	171,867	4,890,769
1	Totals	582,114	24,728,883
1	First quarter, 1894	313,949	20,953,831
1	Second quarter, 1894	433,421	24,773,110
۱	Third quarter, 1894	487,441	24,745,869
1	Total for 1894	766,925	95,201,193
ı	Fourth quarter, 18931,	379,920	22,963,702
l	Total for 1893	993,798	95,180,550
1			The Art Street, Street

"Our Annual Clearing Sale"

s that we are offering to make and sell WINTER CLOTHING at very prices. If low prices will clear out our Winter Suits and Overcoats we will not have any heavy garments to put away for next winter's sales.

MILLS & AVERILL, Broadway and Pine.

The marriage of Miss Antoinetts H, Sears 1814 Papin street, to Mr. G. Kannet of Cincinnati, O., will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Rev. Samue C. Palmer's Lafayette Park Presbyteriar Church. The wedding will be kept very C. Palmer's Lafayetts Park Presbyterian Church. The wedding will be kept very quiet, owing to the recent illness of the bride's mother. The bride will be attired in white china silk, trimmed in white novelty crep and will carry bride's roses. There will be no briesmalds. A reception will be tendered the couple at the home of the bride from 4 to 9 o'clock. The bride's niece, Miss Jane Smith, will serve as ring-bearer and will be attired in white crepe.

To Protect Homeless Children. To Protect Homeless Children.

The committee having in charge the bill for the protection and adoption of minors met Monday night and ratified it. It will be sent this week to the Missouri and thirty other State Legislatures now in session. It calls for no appropriation. Another committee was selected, consisting of Messrs. Chas. Clafin Allen, Leonard Mathews and W. H. Moore, with instructions to draft a bill at once requesting the State to create an agricultural institute for minors, separate from criminal establishments.

Elected Directors.

The Commonwealth Savings Fund & Building Association held their annual meeting at the office of Howard Gambrill, Secretary, 902 Chestnut street, Monday. The following Directors were elected: R. B. Dula, H. S. Drummond, R. M. Scruggs, Eben Richards, Wm. H. Weller, John C. Fears, Peter Hauptmann, E. E. Paramore and Howard Gambrill.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mullanphy Board Secretary Flabback reported that on Dec. 8 he had purchased a \$1,000 certificate of deposit bearing 4 per cent interest. Collections were good, and on Jan. 4 and Jan. 12 two more certificate for \$1,000 each were deposited with the Union Trust Co. This restores the full \$15,000 deposit on which drafts had been made last October to meet delin-quent tax bills. A special meeting will be held Jan. 21, at 3:30 p. m.

This Variable Climate.

From the Chicago Record. The Customer (entering the furnishing store, shuddering from the cold): "Give me a pair of ear-muffs, quick."

The Clerk (as the customer pays and departs):
"All right, sir; there you are, sir."

The Customer (re-entering fifter one minute):
"Say, please, can't I exchange these ear-muffs for a palm-leaf fan?"

In order to fully test the merits of Lou-ton's Nervons or New Blood for Nervous-ness, it was introduced at Hot Springs, Ark. Letters just received from there say more relief had been obtained by the pa-tient from one bottle than had followed the long treatment of a famous physician there.

ONE OF THE FIRST.

Old Pierre Chouteau's Summer Home Almost Destroyed.

IT WAS ERECTED MORE THAN A HUN-DRED YEARS AGO.

ecently Occupied by a Milk Vender-Caught Fire Yesterday and Was Nearly Burned-To Be Bestored to Its Pristine Condition.

Pristine Condition.

When the fire laddies extinguished the blaze in the roof of Matthias V. Steiger's residence, 3868 St. Louis avenue, yesterday they prevented the destruction of a building which is not only one of the oldest in St. Louis, but which originally served as the country home of Pierre Chouteau, whose father, with Pierre Laclede Liguest, founded St. Louis in 1764.

Pierre Chouteau was born Jan. 19, 1779. His mother died when he was only 4 years of age and he was raised by his aunt, Mme. Dahetre, in a little one-story house at Main and Washington avenue. Washingston avenue then had no name and Main street was known as La Rue Principale. When quite young he began trading with the Indians and, amassing quite a fortune, decided to build himself a country home which he could occupy during the summer. He selected a piece of property "way out in the country" then, and in the center of its 190 acres erected a large log cabin, with a high gable roof, made of the branches of the tall trees that graced the farm. He occupied this as a summer home annually until his death in 1849. It was then rented out to a family named Tatard. After they had resided there five or six years Steigers rented the place and operated a farm. He bought a number of cows and has run a large dairy there since. When Steigers rented the place Charles P. Chouteau, Pierre Chouteau's son, fixed up the place for him. The tree roof was boarded over with shingles and the logs were weatherboarded in such a manner that the primitive character of the structure was entirely screened from view.

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When the matter of opening Vandeventer avenue was first broached it was found that the old house stood in the middle of the proposed street. It was moved to the site it now occupies, some distance back from the southeast corner of Vandeventer and St. Louis avenues.

Now that fire has damaged the antique structure, Mr. Steigers has abandoned the house and Mr. Pierre Chouteau, son of Charles P. Chouteau, and grandson of its builder, has decided to dismantie the building. That is, he will have the weatherboarding and the roof ripped off and will have the old house photographed in its pristine condition.

BACK OF RETURNS.

Vigorous Protest Against the Resolution in Tennessee Legislature.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 15.—A vigorous written protest against the passage of the resolution to go behind the returns before counting the vote, signed by all the Republican members of the House of Representatives, was presented this morning. This protest cites the articles of the Constitution which require the vote to be counted by the protest cites the articles of the Constitution which require the vote to be counted by the Speaker of the Senate in the presence of the joint Assembly, and the candidate receiving the plurality vote is declared elected. It also cites the further constitutional provision that contested elections for Governor should be determined by the Legislature in a manner prescribed by law. It is argued that no law exists for such a contest and that a resolution which prevents the canvassing of the returns in the manner prescribed by the Constitution should be of no legal avail. The Legislature may provide a means of contest, but the contest must be carried on with the Governor-elect

vide a means of contest, but the contest must be carried on with the Governor-elect qualified and seated. The claimant of the office whom the returns show not to have been elected becomes the contestant. It is further stated in this protest that the Republican party is prepared to meet the charges of fraud and reture them, but legal and constitutional proceedings will be ininstitutuional proceedings will be in-

"A GFAIN OF TRUTH."

Prof. Henri Dumay's New Play to Be Pre-

Among play-goers, "A Grain of Truth," Among playsoers. A Grain of Truth, which is to be presented Thursday evening at the Germania Theeter, is the talk of the hour—so much has been heard about it lately. The author has so many enthusiastic friends, that a general curiosity has been aroused and playgoers feel anxious to judge for themselves whether all their praise is deserved. M. Dumay, when asked what he thought of his comedy, said: "Of course, my opinion about my own work would be of no value to you, and I will not give it, but here is what some of the professionals told me after they read my manuscript. Mr. F. W. Norton thinks the subject treated too seriously and advised me to turn it into a farce for the Russell's Comedians.

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Mr. A. M. Palmer thinks my dialogue and technique good, but is atraid an American audience will not stand such satire from a foreign-born playwright. Miss eGorgia Cayvan would like to play Madge if I would change it so that Madge would not be on the stage when the curtain rises on the first act. She would change the first act. She would change the first act. She would change the first would change the first act. She would change the first by all means. The other three are so good, you know. means. The other three are so good, you know.

Mr. Price, Mr. Palmer's reader, thinks the first act can't be improved upon. It has a firm touch—the most clever presentation of a plot he ever saw, etc., but the last—ah!—I must change that last for Mr. Price. Another one thinks the plot is fine, but I did not treat it well—but the next tells me that I show great skill in technique, but was unfortunate in the selection of a story—and there you are.

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What one admires the other condemns. Now I am waiting to see what the public's verdict will be, and I will also read with interest the criticisms of the press. Then I will tell you, if you care to know, what I personally think of my first effort.

The young university professor is now employing his leisure time in the writing of a libretto for Alfred Robyn, entitled: "Too Much Lobster."

CRIMB CONFESSED.

Robber Who Held Up James Daly at Pans Wants to Be Arrested.

PANA, Ill., Jan. 15.—Last night the Pana Chief of Police received a dispatch from Waterloo, Ind., informing him that a man there had confessed to holding up and robbing James Daly in his salcon in this city just as he was closing for the night about two years ago, and requesting the Chief to come after him if he wanted him.

Daly refuses to advance the \$55 necessary for the Chief's trip, and the authorities also refuse to act.

DEFECTIVE FLUE

at Dexter.

DEXTRE, Mo., Jan. 45.—Fire broke out in the Lingle Hotel last night, and before the flames could be arrested the hotel building. Dr. W. H. Davis' office and the music studie of Mrs. C. C. Allen, Mrs. J. S. Daniels' boarding-house, and a cottage occupied by Charles W. Robinson were completely destroyed. The buildings were all frame, and the south side of North Main street for one whole square was completely guitant. The Aparle in the Opera-bonne. The Company of the Country of the Count

Flood of Bills Pouring Into the Missouri Legislature.

St. Louis' Interests Cared for by Her Representatives.

MR. SPENCER'S MEASURE IN RELATION TO FIRE INSURANCE.

Tatum's First Attempt at Statesman-ship-Watson's Bill for the Reduction of Telephone Rentals-A Doorkeeper Who Holds Two Offices-Proceedings in the Senate and House.

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JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—Almost every class of legislation in which St. Louis is directly interested is now represented in the measures pending before the House. There are bills for the entire reconstruction of the election and registration law; for the regulation of trusts; for increasing the number of Circuit Judges; for placing various important offices now operated under the fee system under the salary provisions; for regulating the rates of fare and the dispensing of passes by railroads; for reconstructing the St. Louis School Board; for regulating criminal and dvil procedure in many ways, particularly in changes of venue; for reconstructing the National Guard of the State; and last, but not lenst, for the removal of the State Capitol to St. Louis County. And yet at the present time but 240 bills have been introduced, and the prediction is made that the total will reach 1,200 and possibly 1,600. The Committees on Internal Improvements, Corporations, other than Municipal, Criminal Jurisprudence, Judiciary and Ways and Means will have arduous labor from the first in deducing from the aiready formidable mass of crude material before them reasonable measures for the consideration of the House. The railroad, telegraph and telephone companies, not to mention patronage receivers and mongers of high and low degree, will be on hand during the next ten days in self-defense, and as soon as the principal committees get organized their work will be cut out for them.

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Representative Selden P. Spencer of St. Louis has brought to the capital for introduction the bill prepared by the St. Louis Board of Fire Underwriters, the object of which is to enable the larger business houses to obtain insurance enough to protect their stocks. At the present time the law requiring the deposit of \$100,000 with the Insurance Commissioner by every company seeking to do business in the State so limits the number of companies that large concerns can not get enough insurance at any price, beside which the limitation tends to keep up the rates to an unreasonable figure. The large policy seekers have resorted to many expedients to get enough insurance, even to mutual co-operative contracts, and all such means are for many reasons unsatisfactory. The bill under consideration proposes to allow outside companies to do business in the State without making the deposit, simply by submitting to surveillance by the Insurance Commissioner and paying 3 per cent of their gross premiums on such business to the State. The bill will doubtless have the opposition of those companies who are represented by deposits, but not members of the Board of Underwriters, but the latter will support it because of the privilege it will give them of introducing a number of solvent companies who are willing to take a limited amount of business in the State, but who are not willing to make the \$100,000 deposit required by law.

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Representative Walton's bill for the reduction of telephone rentals is in the nature of a compromise between the present rates, and their provisions of bills now pending for much more radical reductions. It provides for a straight commercial rate of \$60 per annum in all cities above 25,000 population; for a residence rate of \$55 per year in all such cities, and commercial rate of the same amount (\$85) in all cities having less than 25,000 population. Mr. Walton says that his bill represents the greatest reduction that it is possible to secure at the present time without detriment to the service, and that if passed it will pave the way to such further reductions as may be found equitable. It is understood that the telephone companies will accept such terms as a last resort; but that they will first exhaust their resources in blocking the way to any reductions whatever. Col. John H. Carroll, of the Burlington's legal department, is understood to represent the Missouri Bell's interests here in opposition to any reduction in rates.

The political squabble over the return of

The political squabble over the return of the Nathaniel Lyon painting to the wall of the House came to a quiet finale yesterday, the picture being brought in and hoisted last night in front of a window to the left of and behind the Speaker's desk. Col. Ashe Ewing said afterward that this was the last job of the kind in which he would engage, no matter how many resolutions the House might see fit to fire at him. The picture itself presents an impracticable horseman upon an impossible steed, is woody and hard and rigid to the last degree, and is framed cheaply in a deadgilt molding without any carving. Altogether the creation seems hardly worth while making such a fuss about, much less demanding a place as a work of art in so distinguished a housing.

The first bit of statesmanship attempted by Chairman Tatum of the Appropriations Committee of the House was presented yesterday in a resolution which provides for the payment out of current revenue of certain of the State institutions of obligations accruing between now and the approval of the require appropriation bill. At

for the payment out of current revenue of certain of the State institutions of obligations accruing between now and the approval of the regular appropriation bill. At the last session of the Assembly a law was passed prohibiting the managers of such institutions from using current funds coming into their hands in the payment of current expenses and requiring them to turn in to the State Treasurer all moneys received, and draw warrants for what they needed. But it was found that if this law were adhered to some of the institutions which have sources of revenue would be in straits for money within the next sixty days, or until the appropriation bill can be passed and approved. The Penitentiary, in particular, which has a large revenue of its own, would be seriously inconvenienced by being compelled to turn in all the money it receives to the State Treasurer, without being able to draw any out until the appropriation bill can be reached, and it was on this account principally that the Tatum resolution was introduced. It was referred, by request, to the Appropriations Committee, and will be favorably reported within a day or two.

HOLDS TWO OFFICES.

Doorkeeper Fountain Sustained by His Party-New Bills in the House.

Party-New Sins in the Louise.

JEFFEPSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—In the House to-day Mr. Best offered a resolution providing for inquiry into the alleged fact that this body elected officers who were on Nov. 6 elected to county offices. Mr. Ghnelich moved that the resolution be laid upon the table. Carried. Ayes, 45; noes,

upon the table. Carried. Ayes, 45; noes, 45.

The resolution referred to Doorkeeper Fountain, who was elected Collector of Moniteau County.

Mr. Swauger offered a resolution providing for an investigation into the alleged non-performanc of school book contracts by a joint committee of six. Referred to the Committee on School Text Books.

Mr. O'Rellly of St. Louis introduced two bills providing for the pretection of holders of property in litigation; also a bill to prevent the plaintiffs in injunction proceedings from loss by the dissolution of temporary injunction when an appeal is taken.

Mr. Julian of Jackson introduced an election and registration bill providing for the discharge of the duties performed by the Recorder of Voters and by officers of the Circuit Court.

Mr. Hinde of Jackson also introduced an election bill.

Mr. Johnston of St. Louis County offered a change of venus bill applicable to civil

FREMARKABLE SUCCESS OF THE

Great Annual Clearing Sale .-

Cor. Locust.

2 To clear out our entire stock of Art Goods preparatory to the grand rem lag of our Art Dept., as the architects will need the room.

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Fine China Cups and Saucers.

Regular price, \$7.50; reduced to \$5.85 per doz. Regular price, \$12.00; reduced to \$8.75 per doz. Regular price, \$16.00; reduced to \$12.00 per doz. Regular price, \$21.00; reduced to \$15.75 per doz. Regular price, \$38.00; reduced to \$20.50 per doz. Regular price, \$60.00; reduced to \$42.90 per doz.

Fine Cut Glass.



Regular price, \$13.50; reduced to \$3.50 per doz. Regular price, \$20.00; reduced to \$12.75 per doz. Regular price, \$25.00; reduced to \$15.00 per doz. Regular price, \$25.00; reduced to \$15.00 per doz. Regular price, \$42.00; reduced to \$25.00 per doz.

Dinner Sets.

Regular price, \$50.00; reduced to \$37.50 Regular price, \$77.50; reduced to \$57.00 Regular price, \$80.00; reduced to \$59.00 Regular price, \$115.00; reduced to \$85.00 Regular price, \$140.00; reduced to \$112.00 Regular price, \$190.00; reduced to \$138.00

Come and See

the lovely Vases, whether you wish to purchase or not.

Mermod & Jaccard's Mermod & Jaccard's

Mrs. Burness Has Bad Nerves and

THE KANSAS OBATOR. Ex-Senator John J. Ingalis Passes

Through the City.

Senator John J. Ingalis arrived at the

Ex-Senator John J. Ingalis arrived at the Union Station at 6:50 a. m., over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy road from Galesburg, Ill., where he delivered an address on Monday night, before the students of Knox College. Mr. Ingalis will speak on Tuesday night at Columbia, Mo., to the students of the State University. To a Post-Dispatch reporter, he said:

"The St. Louis press has made marvelous strides in the last ten years. The Post-Dispatch is a most excellent paper, and I read it with a great deal of pleasure. I regard the State of Missouri as one of the greatest States in the Union in possibilities. What, with its wast deposits of iron, lead and other minerals and its other resources, it has a giorious future in prospect. When the possibilities afforded by the Mississippi flowing past it are utilized great things may be expected. The industries of the whole State may be worked by electricity operated by the water power of the river."

Mr. Ingalis is looking remarkably well and was in excellent spirits.

SHE'S HYSTERICAL.

bills relating to the award of damages against telegraph and telephone companies for errors in the transmission of messages, such awards to include "mental distress," also a bill governing awards for injuries received upon railroads.

Mr. Gurney of Caldwell introduced a beer inspection bill and providing for a tax of ½ cent per gallon.

The House adjourned until 10 a. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Annie Burness of 1631 Washington avenue, who was taken to the City Hospital Monday, presumably suffering from hydrophobia, is better and it is now certain that the attack was induced by an exaggerated hysterical condition. The paroxysms during which she barks, growis and snaps like a dog and at the same time foams at the mouth are growing less frequent and she is becoming more rational. Her husband called at the hospital to see her this morning, but when he entered the room in which she lay she sprang up in bed and commenced to bark and growi at him

FELLOW-SERVANT BILL.

A Copy of the Act Defeated Last Sesher this morning, but when he entered the room in which she lay she sprang up in bed and commenced to bark and growl at him with renewed violence, nor could she be quieted until he had taken his departura. Under the influence of anti-spasmodics, which are hypodermically administered to her at intervals, the hysteria assumed a new form. Rolling up the blanket of her bed she held it as she would a baby, crooning over it and kissing it passionately, nor would she suffer anyone to touch it. Sometimes she would talk in a rambling manner of birds and animals, which she fancied she saw on the celling.

Dr. Marks says that such cases, while rare, are by no means unknown, and he has had several of them under his charge during his term at the City Hospital. The case differs materially from true hydrophobia, notably in the absence of any antipathy to water. The woman will recover.

Court. It increases his pay from \$150 to \$300 per month.

The salaries and fees for transcripts of the Circuit Court stenographers are said to amount to \$5,000 a year, while Circuit Court stenographers outside of St. Louis get \$10 a day.

The second reading and reference of bills consumed the remainder of the morning session in the Senate.

Senator Love called up his resolution requiring the Railroad Commissioners to report whether any railroad in the State is charging higher rates of fare than is allowed by law, and moved its adoption. Carried.

Another attempt was made to compel the

lowed by law, and moved its adoption. Carried.

Another attempt was made to compel the official reporter to furnish the journal of the Senate to the Evening Courier, the organ of the House. The resolution was supported by Senator Wurdmann and the roll-call started with the idea of catching the Democrats asleep. When the call reached Senator Lancaster, he tried to stop the call, but failed, and the roll-call was completed. Senator Mott voting "No," to support his previous assertion that the resolution was not political in its character. The resolution was defeated by 16 nays to 8 ayes.

The Senate adjourned to 16 a. m. Wednesday.

GEORGIA'S RESPONSE

To the Appeal of the Starving People of ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 15.-Georgia's re-

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 15.—Georgia's response to Nebraska's appeal for help will be made this evening or to-morrow morning, when a special train of fifteen cars loaded with food and clothing will leave the Union Depot for Lincoln. The train will be run through on a special schedule and is expected to break the record for freight trains from this point westward. The train goes from here over the Western & Atlantio road to Chattanooga, thence by the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis to Nashville, thence by the Illinois Central to its destination. The cars will bear on their sides large placards with the inscription, "Georgia to Ngbraska," followed by expressions of charity, sympathy and good-fellowship.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

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Liebig COMPANY'S Extract of Beef, a solid,concentrated extract, free from fat and gelatine or any foreign sub-stance and dissolve it themselves.

ON THE BIVEB.

The Ice Blockade Continues-One of the Ferries Running.

The deadest place from a business point of view in St. Louis is the levee. Steamers, The deadest place from a business point or view in St. Louis is the levee. Steamers, tugs, ferryboats and barges line the bank of the river. Not a soul is visible except one or two watchmen and officemen on the wharf boats, unless stragglers toward the river be counted. The river is covered with four or five inches of ice, besides thick cakes over most of the surface, and a path has been beaten from the foot of Olive street to East St. Louis. At 9 a. m. half a hundred people were crossing afoot and as many more boys and youths were skating and side. The icy wastes looked desolate.

The los is not regarded as safe by cautious people. Owing to the uneven surface its strength is very unequal, and the river beating against it from below tends to loosen the chunks that ile deepest. In places water has softened the ice and is bubbling up through small holes.

The Wiggins Ferry Co. succeeded in clearing a channel south of Chestnut street and is running, its transfer boats for the Air Line. It has a force of men at work night and day, attempting to make a channel for all its boats. The Madison County Ferry Co.'s channel is blocked with solid re.

The sentence of John T. Landenberger, who was need \$100 in the Criminal Court on Jan. 5 for em-exalement, was committed to ren days in fail by tage Shackleford on recommendation of the jureas the imposed the Suc.

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BOTH READY.

Dr. Purkitt and Rev. Koetzli Awaiting Their Trials.

Purkitt Claims Exemption for Want of Jurisdiction.

THE COUNCIL COMPOSED OF CLERGYMEN AND LAYMEN.

Rev. Koetzli Is Charged With Card Playing and Drinking and Dr. Purk it With Aiding and Abetting Him-Tria at the Carondelet Baptist Church

Everything is ready for the trial of Rev. T. J. Koetzil and Dr. Caleb S. Purkitt in the Carondelet Baptist Church next Thursday evening. The accused have been served with the charges, prepared by Pastor Tompkins, and they are preparing their defense. The prosecutors, Rev. R. L. Tompkins and others have writness to support their all-

with the charges, prepared by Pastor Tompkins, and they are preparing their defense. The prosecutors, Rev. R. L. Tompkins and others, have witnesses to support their allegations. The charges against Rev. Mr. Koetzil are the frequent use of intoxicating liquor and card-playing and conduct unbecoming a preacher of the gospel. Dr. Purkitt, the aged physician, is taxed with alding and abetting Mr. Koetzil and with using un-Christian language toward Rev. W. W. Boyd, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Rev. Mr. Tompkins and others.

The court will be composed of the pastors and two lay members of the self-supporting churches of the city. The ministers who are expected to be at the council are Rev. W. R. L. Smith of Third Church, Rev. J. E. Cook of Water Tower Church, Rev. J. E. Cook of Water Tower Church, Rev. M. L. Thomas of Lafayette Park Church, Rev. E. H. Emett of Fourth Church, Rev. Elisha Anderson of Grand Ayenue Church, Rev. Wm. E. Herrmann of First German, Rev. A. A. Kendrick of Immanuel and Rev. A. Konzelman of Jefferson Avenue Church. These ministers have not indicated what laymen will accompany them, but several prominent citizens will be of the number. Among them will be Wm. M. Senter, President of the Baptist Board of Missions. It is likely that he will be chosen Moderator of the council. Mr. Edward M. Peabody, clerk of the church, will read the charges. The Carondelet Baptist Church, the scene of much religious strife and court-room for Thursday's trial, is at Virginia and Robert avenues.

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When a reporter called Monday at the residence of Dr. Purkitt, 7818 South Sixth street, the accused physician and his broth- ar defendant, Rev. Mr. Koetzli, were seated at a center table. It was evident that they were priming themselves for an attack upon the ecclesiastical code of ethics, for many papers and letters lay open upon the table. Mr. Koetzli read and wrote by turns. "Have you received a copy of the charges against you?"

"We expect to receive something of the kind before Thursday," said Dr. Purkitt. "Have you secured witnesses, prepared a defense and retained an attorney?"

Dr. Purkitt was about to answer, but Mr. Koetzli broke in with. "Say nothing, doctor." The doctor heeded the warning.

"As a council of ministers and laymen is called only to try a minister, can Thursday night's council try you?"

"I may claim exemption for lack of jurisdiction on the part of the council. As I am a layman I ought to be tried by the church." Mr. Koetzli was afraid Dr. Purkitt might reveal the policy of the defense, for he leaped to his feet and said, "Don't say a word, doctor." Then turning to the reporter he said, "For God's sake let the natter rest. We did receive what purporis o be charges (pointing to the table), but we want nothing said about it."

While he was talking Mrs. Purkitt entered with a letter, which the doctor read with much interest. He handed it to Mr. Koetzli, saying it was from Mr. Edward M. Pesbody, clerk of the church. Mr. Koetzli read the letter, and resumed his studies at the center table. Dr. Purkitt seconded Mr. Koetzli's plea for no further notoriety, and he blamed Mr. Tompkins for the publicity which the matter has already roceived. "Til see that all this trouble is published in the newspapers."

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Mr. Tompkins was disposed to await the issue of the trial. The other side had done all the talking and mud-slinging, and he would continue to be patient and forbearing. "I have not lost my temper in this whole affair," he said, "although I have been accused openly in church of using deceit and fraud to gain my ends. I have even been accused a liar in church, and yet I did not become angry. But when I read Dr. Purkitt's letter in the Post-Dispatch I was

Purkitt's letter in the Post-Dispatch I was indignant. If it had not been for his gray hairs, and because he has only his little home down there, I would have brought suit for libel against him."

Mr. Tompkins was disposed to conceal the fact that the charges had been served last Saturday, but when informed that Mr. Koetzli admitted that what purported to be charges had been served, Mr. Tompkins laughed and said: "If you knew the man that statement of his would be a revelation. I know now what he intends to do." Mr. Tompkins thinks that the Council will settle the trouble at once. He has no doubt of its right to try Dr. Purkitt even if he is a layman.

ORIGIN OF THE TROUBLE.

The trouble in the Carondelet Baptist Church is of long standing. The congregation has never been able to support a pastor, and the Baptist Mission Board has helped out. Mr. Tompkins, who took charge of the church as an experiment about eight months ago, announced at a called meeting of the congregation on Dec. 1, that he would not stay unless the church was reorganized and a council of the self-supporting churches called and Mr. Tompkins made these propositions:

ber receiving a letter to any church of like faith.

Third. That the church be reorganized under the direction and control of the Board of Missions, and adopt a new name and constitution.

These resolutions were adopted by the council by a vote of 19 to 4.

Then Mr. Koetzil, an ordained minister who used to teach German in the public schools, and Dr. Purkitt, the trustees of the property, refused to sign any transfer papers. They said that the plan of reorganization was a scheme to get rid of them and was engineered unknown to them. They said too that by the terms of the-deed by which the church held the property, it would revert to the heirs of the grantors as soon as the church was disbanded. Then Mr. Koetzil's visits to saloons were recalled. He said in open meeting that the Scriptures did not forbid the use of liquors, and he would go to trial on the issue. Dr. Purkitt supported him saying Koetzil had been reared on beer. The other side forced matters and then Dr. Purkitt, talking out of school, spoke of a certain meeting of the Board of Missions, at which he challenged

Hanged Himself.

George Cook, colored, aged 50, hanged himself at his home, 1418 Michigan avenue, Monday night, because he had not money to pay rent. He leaves a wife and five children.

The Bearing of Bartholdt's Bill on Chicago's Sewage Canal.

The bill, introduced into the House of Representatives, by Mr. Hartholdt, of St. Louis, authorizing the appointment of a National Commission to investigate the pollution of streams, the waters of which flow through or are adjacent to more than one State, is viewed with general favor by the city officials. A hope that the bill will become law is unanimously expressed.

The primary object of the bill is to check Chicago's proposed drainage scheme to empty her sewerage into the Mississippi river, via the canal now in the course of construction.

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Health Commissioner Homan said: "I do not think such a commission could fail to see that the plan by which Chicago proposes to get rid of its sewerage will seriously endanger the purity of the water supply of St. Louis and future legislative action would depend upon its report. There is a great need of some such commission to take immediate action in this matter." "But would not such a commission probably condemn St. Louis for emptying its sewerage into the river, thereby polluting the water supply of cities further down?" "As far as I know there are no cities south of here which derive their water supply from the Mississippi. Even should such be the case, it might prove a blessing in disguise. I do not think that the question of the disponal of sewerage will ever be satisfactorily settled until the plan is adopted of treating all sewerage chemically, abstracting all noxlous and harmful matter, discharging only a clear harmless fluid. Such a plan is in vogue in Europe and in the East, and in many instances is operated at an actual profit, since by the treatment a valuable fertilizer for the Poor

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Mrs. De Brow of 1205 Allen avenue, Mrs.
Louis Grund of 3730 Ohio avenue and Walter
Neidner of 3319 South Ninth street have
donated clothing and groceries to the poor
of the Second District.
P. Buechler, a baker; 4274 Natural Bridge
road, donated sixty loaves of bread and
Charles Sevadle of 4801 Hammet place a
lot of clothing to the poor of the Sixth
Police District.
A quantity of pickled meats and liver were
left at the Mounted District Station for the
poor by the St. Louis Dressed Beef Co. on
Monday.
Mrs. Ford Smith of 4130 Westminster
place and Mrs. James Martin of 4135 Laclede avenue left clothing for the poor of
the Fifth District.

Work of Highwaymen. These highway robberies were reported

onday night: William Comfort, stopped near his home, 2206 Mullanphy street. The robbers returned him his overcoat.

William Modell, relieved of 65 cents and a knife in front of 1802 North Eighteenth street at 10:30 p. m.

Gus Tirhne, robbed of a brass watch and \$3.65 on Cass avenue, near Twentieth street.

Officer Kavanaugh fired at two men who attempted to hold up James Robb on Market street, near Sixth street.

John McCullough and "Mickie" Reed were arrested on suspicion of having committed the first three robberies. William Comfort, stopped near his home

Retail Grocers.

The retail grocers met Tuesday evening President Boland in the chair. A letter was President Boland in the chair. A letter was received from L. Maune, an ex-member of the Legislature, also of the association, offering his services and influence with members of the Legislature with whom he is acquainted, in securing the passage of the bill for the modification of the garnishee laws, which the association favors. The offer was accepted, and the Secretary directed to notify the sender of the action of the association. Messrs. Cosgrove, Neun, Fink and Walden were appointed a committee to arrange for a social entertainment.

ABOUT TOWN.

INSTALLED OFFICERS.—Gen. Lyor Post, No. 2, G. A. R., installed officers Post, No. 2, G. Monday evening.

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ON SUSPICION.—Mike Connelly, alias Moran, was arrested at Twenty-second and Mulianphy streets Monday night suspected of stealing two new lanterns and two glass preserve dishes.

TAKEN TO THE PEN.—Deputy Sheriff E. M. Becker took the following prisoners to Jefferson City to serve terms in the Penitentiary: George Brooks and William Dietz, who go up for two years for assault to kill.

BURST AN ARTERY.—John Scheonzer

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BURST AN ARTERY.—John Scheonzer burst a blood vessel in his brain, while at work in Helmbacher's foundry, Second and Barton streets, Monday night. He was removed to St. Marry's Infirmary. He lives with his family at 2217 Hickman street. ACADEMY OF SCIENCE.—The next meeting of the Academy of Science will be held on Monday evening, Jan. 21, at 8 o'clock at the academy rooms, 1600 Lucas place.

FR. DOYLE'S LECTURE.—Rev. Fr. Alex. P. Doyle of New York, secretary of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, will deliver a lecture on temperance at Exposition Entertainment Hall Thursday svening, Jan. 17.

FREIGHT ON EUROPE

evening, Jan. II.

FREIGHT ON FURNITURE.—Secretary Parker of the St. Louis Furniture Board of Trade received word Monday that the Southwestern Traffic Association, meeting at Dallas, Tex., had granted the board's petition for a revision of freight classification on car-load lots of furniture to equalize any injurious discrimination.

JOHN A. LOGAN POST.—The officers of John A. Logan Post, G. A. R., elected in December, were installed Monday night. A literary and musical entertainment was given. It was decided to give part of the proceeds of an entertainment next Friday night to the sufferers in Nebraska.

EHLERMAN'S BANQUET.—Chas Ehler-

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EHLERMAN'S BANQUET.—Chas Ehlerman, President of the Ehlerman Hop and Malt Co., gave a banquet at Faust's Monday night in honor of his friend, Hugo Reisinger of New York, and in celebration of the twentieth anniversary of his own business career in St. Louis. The brewing interests of the city were well represented at the festal board.

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TEACHERS COMMITTEE.—The Teachers Committee of the School Board held its regular weekly meeting Monday. The resignation of Miss Maria Von Talkaez was accepted. The committee considered the reported severe beating of Harvey Helmbacker, but took no action.

THE ANTI-TOXINE HORSES.—Veterinary Surgeon H. F. James has made an inspection of the horses at Quarantine from which the Health Department is deriving a supply of anti-toxine. In his report he says that the condition of the horses is excellent. He suggests that the serum for practical use be taken from two horses, Jumbo and Philip, who he pronounces ideal animals for the purpose.

K. & L. OF H. RECEPTION.—The Grand Lodge of Missouri, Knights and Ladies' of Honor, will give a reception to the Supreme Protector of the order, L. B. Lockard, Wednesday evening, Jan. 16, at Exposition Entertainment Hall. John S. Anderson, Fred F. Gottschalk and Annie E. Graydon are in charge.

case will receive prompt attention it could be again. O. W. Price, 108 North Ninth street; the speat. O. W. Price, 108 North Ninth street; the phone 859.

CATHOLIC PUBLISHING CO.—At the annual meeting of the Catholic Publishing Co., at the office of the Churche Progress, 208 South Fourth street, directors were elected as follows: Fr. Wm. Walsh, Fr. O. J. McDonald, Fr. J. J. Harty, Fr. Hoffman, Very Rev. H. Muehlsiepen, Vicar General; H. J. Spaunhorst, Conde B. Pallen and J. Blankemier. The only change was the election of Fr. Harty to succeed Mr. Mulligan. Mr. Conde B. Pallen, for several years editor of the Church Progress, resigned.

the Coming Year.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.-For a number

employed labor and ruined farmers." For 1835 he says:

"There is no promise or sign of better times for the coming year. We may look in valn for any permanent improvement in general business. Wheat at 54 cents a bushel at Chicago; cotton at 5½ cents per pound at Cincinanti, and pig iron at 310 a ton at Pittsburg denote impoverishment for farmers, cotton planters and furnace men. The increase last year of \$100,000,000 in the bonded debt of the Government, does not signify that the people are contented keeping out of debt and making money. Ever since 1873 values have been shrinking in consequence of the establishment of the single gold standard and no one can fathom the depths to which prices will fall. There is no evidence that we are at the lowest point of depression. There is no property, except gold, which is not depreciating. An average crop of grain in this country this year, with fair crops abroad, will send the price of wheat at Chicago, after the next harvest, down to 46 cents a bushel. Prices for wool, cotton, iron, cattle and horses, will be on the slown grade during the present year. Common sheep, after the wool is taken off next year, will sell for what their pelt will then bring, 25 cents. The year 1896 will will then bring, 25 cents. The year 1896 will be on the cown grade during the presen year. Common sheep, after the wool is taker off next year, will sell for what their pel will then bring, 25 cents. The year 1895 will not be the proper time to make invest ments in property or to engage extensively in business enterprises."

CRAZE FOR CANES AND BAGS.

The Odd Bent of Charles E. Keeler, Who Wandered About Chicago.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Charles E. Keeler's mind had an odd kind of crook in it. He came here from Beaver Falls, Pa., and for four weeks has wandered about the town buying satchels and canes.

It is said that the youth's mind has for some time been weak. Last year his father placed him in an asylum, and he was later discharged as cured. For a time he remained at home with his kinsmen, and they had begun to hope that he was fully restored. Four weeks ago he left the house with scarcely any wearing apparel, and nothing was seen of him by his father until yesterday. The son was not gone long before it was discovered that he had secured \$360 from a bank. The money was made good by his father, and then began the search for the missing one. No one knows where the son spent the first three weeks of his absence.

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Last Tuesday a young man with two satchels and several canes and umbrellas walked into the office of the Hotel Le Grand, corner of Kinzle and Wells streets, and engaged a room. The guest was nicely dressed and appeared to be a person in good circumstances, but it was not long before the hotel clerk began to suspect that something was wrong. When it came to pay room rent the guest thrust his hand deep into his overcoat pocket and produced a large roll of bills, from which he extracted one to give to the clerk.

"You had better give me your money and I'll lock it up in the safe," the clerk advised him. "If you carry it around with you some one is likely to take it from you." After a little persuasion the guest gave up his money and it was locked in the safe.

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Keeler seemed to have a mania for buying satchels, umbrellas and canes. He bought them of all sizes and carried them around to show them off. During the four or five days he was at the hotel he spent most of his time walking about the city. He would leave the hotel early in the morning with his outfit and not return until late in the evening. Then he would tell the clerk how tired he was and what business he had transacted.

Saturday morning, in the midst of all the storm and cold and sleet, Keeler called for his satchels. With these and an umbrella and other articles of luggage he started out of the hotel. All day long he tramped in the snow, with his collar turned high up around his ears. When he came back after it had grown dark he said to the clerk: "I have had a good time to-day. I've been all over the West Side with my grips, and I'm awfully tired."

In the meantime the clerk had managed to get the young man to tell his father's name and address, and the latter, E. L. Keeler, of Beaver Falls, was communicated with by wire. Mr. Keeler, Sr., took the first train for Chicago, and arrived yesterday afternoon. He went at once to the Hotel Le Grand, where he was pleased to find his son in good health and unharmed. In order to guard against his son's running away Wr. Keeler called on the police, and

find his son in good health and unharmed. In order to guard against his son's running away Mr. Keeler called on the police, and the young man was taken to the Chicago Avenue Police Station.

When the police searched him they found money in all his pockets. In one overcoat pocket they found a \$30 bill, and altogether the amount he had was \$48.57. Much of the money was in pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters. Aside from the money the police found about a dozen large lead pencils, such as carpenters use, a gold watch and other jewelry.

Mr. Keeler took his son home, and will probably place him in an asylum for treatment.

MAJ, W. J. BEE DEAD. Turnkey of the Mississippi State Prison for Many Years.

JACKSON, Mss., Jan. 15.—Maj. W. J. Bee, the turnkey of the State prison for a number of years, died last night of heart number of years, died last night of heart failure. Maj. Bee was a Georgian, some 70 years of age, and highly connected. He will be buried at Magnolia, Miss. The most exciting episode, probably, in the Major's life was when he was overpowered some two years ago by Brooks Story, Blair Revells and three other desperate convicts, who made their escape, one or two of whom were killed, the others recaptured, and all being wounded.

Death of Mrs. Bradbury.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Bradbury, wife of Capt. W. H. Bradbury, died in this city last night. Capt. Bradbury is well known all over the State as deputy warden of the State Penitentiary, which important position he has held for a quarter of a century.

The death of Mrs. Bradbury is particularly sad in that she leaves to the care of her husband, who is already well stricken in years, a month-old baby, besides two other young children.

MORTUARY MATTERS.

In charge.

HAWKERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Hawkers' Benevolent Association had a joillification meeting Sunday at Druid's Hall, Ninth and Market streets. The Committee of Arrangements was John Paul, Steven Dempsey, Ed Jutz, Peter O'Connell. Seven applications for membership were received.

WOMAN'S HUMANE SOCIETY.—The Woman's Humane Society held their regular meeting Monday. Hereafter the ladies will meet at 4 p. m. in the parior of the West Ead Hotel. Geo. Hain was arrested and fined 20 on the 10th inst. for cruelty. The society is constantly asked where cases of cruelty can be reported. They beg to say that any case will receive prompt attention if reported to the agent. C. W. Price, 103 North Ninth street; telephone 856.

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JANUARY 15, 1895.

RIVER POLLUTION. BENNER'S FORECAST GRAZED HIS HEAD. FAIR WILL CONTEST. DASHED TO DEATH. THE LINK BREAD

The New York Prophet Talks on Bullet Fired at the Monon's Agent at How the Millionaire's Testament Will Crawfordsville.

> CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 15. The third attempt to assassinate the Monon railway's night agent here was made this morning near 4 o'clock. Will Schlemmer, the former night man, who was once shot the former night man, who was once shot in the head and again was stabbed, had resigned, and E. J. Bennett of Rising Sun appointed in his place.
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> Bennett was standing at the office window when some person shot him from inside the freight room. The bullet grazed his head. The police have the bullet, but have no idea who is trying to kill the Monon agents. Bennett has wired the railway authorities that he will resign unless a policeman remains at the depot at night.

CRIME IN BRIEF.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. Jan. 16.—Gov. Altgeld la-sued a requisition for Joseph Cartwright, under ar-rest at Richmond, Va., charged with working the gold brick game at Canton, Ill. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. Jan. 15.—Gov. Stone pardoned James S. Payton of Christian County, sentenced to be hanged for killing a child while trying to kill its father. LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 18.—A Clark County officer is here to receive Cracksman Walter Jones, who was caught at Kansas City.

QUANAH, Tex., Jan. 15.—A Leon (Mexico) telegram says Wm. F. Price, swindling ex-cashier of the Quanah City National Bank, is under arrest. St. Louis, Kansas City and New York banks and citizens gave up about \$75,000 to Price, it is alleged.

TEXARKANA, Ark., Jan. 15.—Oscar Matlock could not be identified as one of the Buena Vista train robbers. He was discharged. HENNESSEY, O. T., Jan. 15.—Bill Dool! two outlaws dired with Farmer John Flynn, 120. EL PASO. Tex., Jan. 15.—Bill Cook brough here on his way to Santa Fe, N. M

BUENA VISTA BOBBERS

Have All Been Rounded Up, Captured and Have Confessed.

TEXARKANA, Ark., Jan. 15.—Ever since the Cotton Belt passenger train was held up at Buena Vista, at a tank on the night of Jan. 1, officers, detectives and private citizens having been camping upon the trail of the bandits. They were located some ten days ago in Ouachita County, but it was not until yesterday that the final round-up was made, and all three of the robbers are now in the hands of the law.

Two of them were captured some days ago. The other, finding himself surrounded beyond the possibility of escape, came in and surrendered yesterday afternoon. All of them have made full confessions, and their conviction will be a mere formality. Simpson, the lender of the gang, and Tribble have have been citizens of Ouachita County for years, and Simpson's father is said to have been a very prominent man of that county. TEXARKANA, Ark., Jan. 15.-Ever sir

MORRILL'S MESSAGE

Advocates a Constitutional Convent and Revision of Insurance Laws.

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TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 15.—Gov. Morrill opens his message to the State Legislature to-day by reminding the Legislature that weighty responsibilities rest upon that body, and that upon the action of the members will largely depend the success of his administration. He advocates a constitutional convention to change the constitution in some respects—particularly in the apportionment laws. Speaking on the question of temperance, he says the great work in removing intemperance must be done through the churches, schools and other elevating helps. The law having been enacted and provisions for its enforcement having been adopted, it is the bounden duty of the State officers to see that the law is carried out. The laws relating to insurance companies and the transaction of insurance companies and the transaction of insurance companies or amended. He advises the Legislature to consider the whole question of fraternal insurance, so-called, as well as accident insurance, and maintains that organizations and societies having rituals, signs and pass-words similar to secret societies, ought not to be allowed to transact business in the State, but if they are, they should be made subject to the control of the Insurance Department.

CONTRACT SYSTEM

Explained by Agent Pomery and Speeches by Somerset and Willard. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 15.—Agent Pomery, of the Central Labor Union of Haverbill of the Central Labor Union of Haverhili, explained the contract system in a meeting at Union Hall, and spoke with bitterness of the blanket injunctions issued by the State and Federal courts. He also told of the demand for which the strikers in Haverhili are striking.

Lady Henry Somerset followed him, referring especially to the condition of the women laborers and their treatment at the hands of the employers. She prophesied the utter extermination of the contract system, and urged the moral support of the

gle. Miss Frances Willard was the next speak-er. Her mission was mainly to solicit aid for the strikers, but she advocated inci-dentally the need of having women on the board of arbitration, as is the custom in France. France.
Mrs. Annie Hicks, the last speaker, presented ideas suggested by her long connection with the working women of England.

THAT LABOR REBELLION. . Sovereign Says the Scheme Was Submitted to Him in Good Faith.

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DES MOINES, Iowa, Jan. 15.—J. R. Sovereign was seen in reference to the statement attributed to him to the effect that he and E. V. Debs had considered a plot to lead a rebellion against the government at the time of the big railroad strike in Chicago last summer. He denied that he had said that the scheme was considered. He said further that a plan of rebellion was submitted to Debs, himself and the other strike leaders, the details of which had been partially worked out by two Chicago attorneys whose names he refused to reveal. The scheme embraced the general details outlined, including the satablishment of a provisional government in the West with a plan of campaign toward the East.

"This scheme," Mr. Sovereign said, "was proposed to us seriously by its friends. Just as many other wild plans were submitted, but neither it nor any of the others were considered by us individually or in conference, or talked of seriously at any time."

LABOR ITEMS.

CLINTON, 10., Jan. 15.—The five mills of the Columbia Straw Paper Company were closed indefinitely, throwing 500 men out of work.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—Supt. C. M. Schwab,
of the Steel Works, discharged twenty prominent workmen for attending the organization meeting on last Sunday.
PITTSBURG, Kan., Jan. 15.—Cherokes Zine
Works operators here and at Weir City accepted a 15 per cent reduction of wages.

YALE SCIENTIFIC DEPARTMENT.

Seniors to Have a Class Day and Green Caps and Gowns.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 16.—At a meeting of the senior class of the Yall Scientific Department it was voted to adopt the custom of the academic seniors and have a class day and to also wear caps and sowns. The following officers were appointed: President, John C. Greenway, Hosprings, Ark.; Vice-President, A. W. Daler Brooklyn; Historian, Fred Rustin, Omaha H. V. Bergen, Bay Ridge, N. Y.; J. M. Geotchins, Cincinnati; W. R. Black, Brie-Pa.; C. S. Stabhenson, Brooklyn, N. Y., and R. A. Hamilin, Chicago; Class poet, G. Clarke, Chicago.

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Use our Birds' Eye Cannel or Inc.
Block Coal, Berry-Horn Coal Co., 1

Be Attached.

Sues for \$50,000. Sues for \$50,000.

LEWISTOWN, Ill., Jan. 15.—Another suit of importance has been brought in the Fulton County Circuit Court against Henry Phelps and his son, Henry W. Phelps. This time it is on a note given to Walter C. Campbell, the young man of electrical forging fame, for \$25,000 by father and son. George W. Henry of Chicago, through his attorney, James D. Worley of Chicago, files the suit for \$50,000, but the note and interest amounts to only \$25,857.50. The note was given for stock in the electrical forging concern alleged to be in operation in Boston.

Saloon-Keeper Sued.

CANTON, Ill., Jan. 15.—Earnest Roseboom et al. of Canton have brought suit against John Doyle, a saloonkeeper of Canton, for 5,000 damages for selling liquor to their father, causing him to cease his support. This is one of several suits lately brought against Canton saloonkeepers.

LEGAL AFFAIRS.

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 15.—The United States ourt ordered the Little Rock Electric Street alirond to be sold. The suits of the St. Louis rust Co. and Atlantic Trust Co. of Philadelphia or \$650,000 are thus ended. NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—William Winterfield sues Hattle Winterfield for divorce, alleging infidelity and naming eighteen frequenters of the cafe Man-nattan as co-respondents.

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JOLIET, Ill., Jan. 15.—Three national banks ask
he court to enjoin the collector from collecting
axes both from stockholders and from the bank.

ALL NEWSPAPER YARNS. Recent Stories About His Being in the

Territory, Says Bill Cook.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 15.—Escorted by his captors (Deputy United States Marshai Charles Perry, of Eddy, N. M.; Sheriff Love, of Boden County, Texas, and Sheriff McMurry, of Mitchell County, Texas, Bill Cook came in from Eddy, N. M., resterday afternoon. Cook, in regard to his capture, said:

"I walked out of a house on the ranch near Nogal, N. M., and these men got the drop on me. I did not have my pistol. I have not been in the Indian Territory since the last of October. All of the late newspaper yarns about me and my crowd are lies. Jim Turner and one have been together, staying on ranches and doing nothing but keeping away from officers. We had nothing to de with the Texas Pacific robbery."

Replying to questions as to the girl whom he had

From officers. We had nothing to do with the Texas Pacific robbery."
Replying to questions as to the girl whom he had with him, he said: "She is no chicken, and will give them officers some stouble, if they don't watch not."

The officers went to New Mexico to get papers on which to carry Cook to the Territory.

Cook denies having been in any town but Rosewell, N. M., for a period of three months past, and, when asked if he was in New Mexico to arrange a raid, he replied: "What do you take me for?"

WICHITA LAND RESERVATION.

he Overplus Will Probably Be Open for WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The long pending question of opening the Wichita Indian reservation in Oklahoma to estilement was settled yesterday by the House Committee on Indian Affairs, which voted to report the bill recommended by Delegate Flynn. This bill stipulates that the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes, which claim ownership of the land, must bring suit before the Court of Claims of the District of Columbia within sixty days after the bill becomes an act to sustain their title, otherwise the Wichitas will receive the proceeds of the sale of the lands, as they will in case the court decides in their favor. There are nearly 1,000,000 acres of these lands owned by the Indians. acres of these lands owned by the Indians. The Wichitas will be allowed 160 acres each and the remainder of the land will be opened to settlement under the homestead laws at 155 an acres.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—The Senate bill providing additional court facilities for the Indian country was passed Monday by the House. A number of amendments were made to the bill in committee of the whole. On motion of Chairman Culberson of the Judiciary Committee an amendment was added providing for an additoral United States Attorney, and also providing that Clifford Jackson, who is United States Attorney there now, be located in the Northern District, and the place of attorney provided for should apply to the Southern District, which, as also provided for, shall have for its judge the present United States Judge Stewart.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—The speeches of Senator Gorman and Senator Hill on the financial situation created a great sensation in the Senate yesterday. Mr. Gorman spoke for two hours and devoted most of his time in deploring the effects of the last tariff bill which he took so large a part in framing. In the course of his speech he arraigned Mr. Hill for his attitude on the tariff question.

The Senator from New York answered every point of the arguments presented by Mr. Gorman, and seised the opportunity for making a vigorous attack on the Senator from Maryland. His speech was listened to making a vigorous attack on the from Maryland. His speech was lis with great interest by the Senat the galleries.

Wichita. Klowa, Comanche and Apache Indiana, leading to the opening of that country to settlement, be acted upon favorably at this session.

The Civil Service Commission will hold an examination of Jan. 80 and 81 to fill a vacancy in the office of cartographic draftsman, in the Hydrographic office, Navy Department, at \$1,000 per gaphic office, Navy Department, at \$1,000 per annum. Two days of seven hours each will be allowed for examination. Residents of the District of Columbia will be eligible.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 15.—J. P. Pritchard was nominated on the first ballet Monday by the Rayublican caucus for United States Senatur.

Broker Whiledge and Wife Killed Durin a Fire.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 15.-At 4 o'cloc is morning fire broke out on the second or of 13 West Biddle street, and before covered had made such headway that es-pe for the sleeping inmates was rendered

cape for the sleeping inmates was rendered a hazardous undertaking. When the firemen and neighbors reached the scene Thomas Whiledge, a broker, and his young wife, appeared at the window of the second-story front room. Mrs. Whiledge was unconscious. Her husband, holding her in his arms, leaned far out of the second-story window and made a frantic grab and spring for the ladder, which the firemen had run up to assist their escape. He missed the ladder and both fell to the pavement. Mrs. Whiledge was instantly killed and her husband died a few minutes later.

VARIOUS ACCIDENTS.

GOLDEN CITT, Mo., Jan. 15.—Alice Westfal, aged 6, daughter of Mrs. Milton Hicksnbothem, died of burns received Saturday from an overheated stove which set fire to her dress.

PARIS, Tex., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Isaac, Parr saved the northbound Frisco passenger train from being wrecked at a burning bridge three miles from her yetterday morning by flagging the train with a red table cloth. After discovering the fire on the bridge she watched for trains for two hours. hridge she watched for trains for two bours.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A rush of water from old workings flooded the big lake colliers at Audrey. North Staffordshire, yesterday. It is thought that twenty miners have been drowned. At the time 200 men and boys were in the mine, and all but eighty reached the surface.

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HARDIN, 'Ill., Jan., 15.—Miss Ida Tembling and Miss Mollie Rodgers were drowned Saturday night in the Mississippi, which they were crossing on the ice. Frank Phillips had a narrow escape in trying to save them. The bodies were recovered Sunday.

HIS WAR PAINT ON.

Counselor Marshall's Reply to Attorney Steber. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.-In ar-

guing in the cases of the city of St. Louis against Flynn and Winter, the Lowell rendering plant proprietors, and the city of St. Louis against Weitzel & Co., involving the validity of the garbage hauling ordinance, Attorney Louis A. Steber made use of such language in the Supreme Court last evening as to call for a hot reply from City

of such language in the Supreme Court last evening as to call for a hot reply from City Counselor Marshall. Mr. Steber is credited with saying that not only the Health Commissioner of St. Louis, but the Judges of the Police Cearts and of the Court of Criminal Correction were being corruptly influenced by the present garbage contractor; and he charged that the courts mentioned paid no more attention to decisions of the Supreme Court of the State than if they had never been rendered. His argument was very long, and in support of his position that all the ordinances governing the treatment of nuisances and the hauling of garbage were contrary to charter. Col. Steber made 310 citations in the rendering works case and 318 in that dealing with the garbage were contrary to charter. Col. Steber made 310 citations in the rendering works case and 318 in that dealing with the garbage hauling orwinance.

In replying Mr. Marshall said that heretofore he had tried to treat attorneys on the opposite side with every possible courtesy, but he declared that the language used by Col. Steber had placed him outside the pale of professional courtesy, and that hereafter he should hoist the black flag, should neither ask nor grant quarter and not rest until he had swept every such nuisance as those represented by Col. Steber from the city. Mr. Marshall said that Col. Steber had filed a "patent" brief, embodying the same principles that he had cited in all his previous arguments before the same court, and he declared that he had gone outside the record with his statement to the court—which statement, he said, occupied 67 pages of a brief of 116 pages. In discussing the case afterward, Mr. Marshall said that he had never before found himself under the necessity of making such a reply to the argument of any attorney.

KNOB NOSTER MILLS

Destroyed by Fire and a Loss of \$20,000

stroyed the Knob Noster Mills this morning at 3 o'clock. The origin of the fire was in the engine room. An unusually large amount of flour was on hand, and everything in surance, \$6,000. This leaves the town without a mill. KNOB NOSTER, Mo., Jan. 15.-Fire de

ASHES AND EMBERS.

CAIRO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Fire did \$10,000 damage

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 15.—The Baltimo Ball Park grand stand was burned to the ROCKPORT, Ill., Jan. 15.—Fire at Durand Monday night destroyed the Post-office and all the other buildings in that block. Loss \$15,000.

ALEXANDRIA, La., Jan. 15.—Fire completely destroyed the sugar refinery of Joseph H. Meeker at Lecompte. The plant and its contents, easily valued at \$140,000, were lusured for only \$74,000. Named at \$140,000, were insured for only \$18,000.

BALTIMORE, Mo., Jan. 15.—J. McGreany was awakened Monday morning by his parrot screaming, "fre." Looking out of the window, he discovered J. B. Arnold's house in flames. The family was awakened by Mr. McGreany, and narrowly escaped with their lives.

the Subject.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Dr. Chauncey M. Depew was roundly denounced at a meeting of the Methodist ministers of this city and vicinity in the rooms of the Methodist Book Concern. The denunciation was for the stigma the Doctor had cast on ministers by a recent interview wherein he defended the action of the railroad in withdrawing the half-rate privileges from clergymen.

Dr. A. J. Palmer, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, said that Dr. Depew should be asked to retract his statement that ministers had abused their privileges and that some of them had even sold half-rate tickets to scalpers, thus defrauding the company.

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Dr. Palmer demanded that Dr. Depew furnish the society with the names of the offending ministers, so that the alleged culprits might be tried at the conferences of
their coadjutors.
The Rev. Ferdinand C. Iglehart said that
Dr. Depew's utterances against the ministers were merely made to reconcile the politician whose passes were taken away by
the recent amendments to the constitution.

Defunct Bank of Enterprise Closed After Paying Depositors.

ABILENE, Kan., Jan. 15.—The defunct bank of Enterprise, of which the late C. M. Case was cashier has been closed up by a leading stockholder. Depositors were paid in full, and stockholder divided the assets. They received about 40 cents on the dollar, Many of the stockholders are Eastern people, and the loss will fall heavily on them.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

SIOUX CITY, lo., Jan. 15.—The C. H. Martin Piano Company assigned; assets, \$40,219; Habilities, \$45,625. C. H. Martin individually assigned, alc., VESTON, Tex., Jan. 13.—D. E. Schoolfield, "GALFIETON, Tex., Jan. 15.—D. E. Schoolfield, WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—The Comptroller of the Currency appointed Milton Declittle, of Athinson, Neb., as reculture of the North Platts (Neb.) National Bank.

The Awful Woe From One Weak Link

In a Chain Apparently Strong and Powerful

The Giving Way of This One Link Wrecked the Ship.

If Only That One Link Had Been Strong.

Think for a Moment and See What All This Means.

A ship, in a fearful storm, was anchored by a single chain. The chain was large and apparently strong enough to hold. But, in the otherwise powerful chain, was one single weak link. The terrible strain was too much for the weak link; it broke, and the ship was dashed to destruction on

the rocks. The strength of a chain is only up to its weakest link. So the strength of a person, whether physical or nerve strength, is only up to his weakest part or organ. If our nerves are weak, or your blood poer, f you suffer from Insomnia or have indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, kidney or liver complaint, headache, neuralgia, or rheumatism, there is a weak spot in your system, which, if not cured, will surely

cause you to break down. You will never be well and strong until this weak place or organ is strengthened. It is fearfully dangerous to neglect any such weakness or allment. Nobody realizes this better than Mrs. G. S. Cobb, a well-known lady residing at 334 Smith Street, Providence, R. I.

"For five years I had been troubled with indigestion, kidney and liver trouble, severe

was a terrible pain and pressure in my stomach, from which there was no relief until vomiting set in, when I vomited a slimy mucus.

"After these spells I would be completely prostrated for three or four days. Some-

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prostrated for three or four days. Some-times for three weeks at a time I could take no nourishment but lime water and milk. I lost forty pounds. "Severe nervous headaches, at times having a duration of two weeks, would set in A terrible piercing pair, would set in. A terrible piercing pain would shoot in rapid succession through my head. There was a dreadful aching and throbbing through my back between my shoulders.

"In fact I was completely prostrated. I

tried prominent physicians without relief, and was entirely discouraged. About this time I heard, through a friend, of Dr. and was entirely discouraged. About this time I heard, through a friend, of Dr. Greene and the wonderful cures which he had wrought with his remedy, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

"I secured it and commenced using it, and the change which took place was wonderful. The terrible, racking pains through my head and shoulders have left me. Where I could eat nothing but the lightest kinds of foods. I can now eat anything

kinds of foods, I can now eat anything without the slightest distress of any kind. "The kidney and liver trouble has left me. In fact, my friends are surprised at my wonderful cure. I thank God and Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy for my new life, and would say to all suf-

ferers, gather confidence and try this great remedy and you will surely be cur-Oh, that persons complaining of any allvaluable advice, and take this wonderfu medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy! If they only knew what a healthy and happy life awaited them after using it, they would not hesitate a moment. It will make a strong and well person o

you just as surely as you take it. It will cure every one of those troubles and weak-nesses which have bothered you so much.
Just try it and see. Doctors recommend Just try it and see. Doctors recommend and advise its use.

Why waste time in trying uncertain and untried remedies, when here is a physician's prescription, a discovery made by the greatest living specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases. Dr. Greene of 35 West 14th St., New York City. If you take this medicine, you can consider yourself under Dr. Greene's direct professional care, and you can consult him or write to him about your case, freely and without charge. This is a guarantee that this remedy will cure, possessed by no other medicine in the world.

Contestant Claims Not Less Than 1,500 Illegal Votes Were Cast.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—John Murray Mitchell has served notice of contest by mail on Congressman-elect James J. Walsh, his opponent in the Eighth District. Mitchell charges wholesale fraud and bribery, and claims his ability to prove that not less than 1,500 illegal votes were cast for Walsh. He has established headquarters in the Astor House, and with the assistance Austin E. Ford and J. H. Jewell is collecting evidence.

HELENA. Mont., Jan. 15.—The A. P. A. pro-test to the Legislature against the election of any Catholic to the United States Senate was re-turned to the order without being arcovided the courtesy of a reading before the House.

GOOD SPIRITS



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LOOK FOR ANOTHER FLAG DROPPER.

It comes mighty near being settled that James B. Farguson will not handle the flag at the Fair Grounds meeting nert spring. The racing stewards were exceedingly anxious to have Starter Ferguson of Iciate here, and Mr. Ferguson was just as sager to do so, but unfortunately the Harlem track management has J. B. under contract for the season of 18th, and his services will be needed there while the big St. Louis meeting is in progress. Starter Ferguson is now at Star Francisca, and when Fresident Marfitt notified him that his services were desired here next spring he wired his willingness to come, provided it did not interfere with his Harlem contract. Both these meetings will be in progress simultaneously next spring, and Secretary Gwynn stated Monday that accordingly he did not think there was any chance of Starter Ferguson coming here. However, there will be a surplus of competent race track starters on the market this season, and the Fair Association should experience little trouble securing a capable man to handle the flag. Of the best known of these officials, Messrs. Pettingili, Ferguson, Kit Chinn and Rowe will be the only ones with steady angagements. Caldwell, Dwyer, Jack Chinn and Creveling will all have open dates and any one of the quartette would jump at a chance to start here. Starter Caldwell afficiated at the Fair Grounds two years ago and it would not cause surprise to see him in harness here again next spring.

President C. C. Maffitt, of the Fair Association, admits that the only apparent obstacle to the success of the coming spring meeting is the down-town pool-rooms. How to suppress or, at least, close them during the meeting is a problem that the Fair Association executive and his associates are trying to solve. The strong arm of the law will have to be evoked in order to close the rooms; but that is easier advocated than accomplished. Legislators and city fathers are not easily convinced that there is a difference between book-making and pool-selling on and off the race tracks. Nothing can b the Fair Grounds meating, this spring, was composed to stead his information has rearried to the standard of t

John J. Carter and Van Kirkman of Nash"s are at New Orleans.
President C. C. Maffit, of the Fair Association, is visiting in the East.
Joe Patchen wears a 5-ounce bar shoe
in front and a 3½-ounce bar shoe behind.
Theodore Winter's stable is wintering at
Reno, Nev., instead of Illinois, as was the
sase last year.

Prefixe's Popularity.

Fred's Chicago Friends Circulating a Petition for His Reinstatement.

The base-ball outcast, Fred Pfeffer, has begun to find out how many friends he has in Chicago. The failure of the national board of arbitration to lift the ban in the German's case has caused a great amount of feeling locally, especially about the Windy City exchanges, where "Frits' has always been a great favorite and where cranks galore abound. After a great deal of discussion over the matter several members of the board of trade and stock exchanges decided to put a patition in circulative and the control of the board of trade and stock exchange decided to put a patition in circulative and the chicago can, and wanted badly, and that it is the sense of local patrons of the game that efforts be made to place him there. If the powers decide to reinstate Pfeffer and let him play is Chicago, each and svery signer of the patition binds himself to purchase a season ticket this spring and to boom the game all they can. If the league persists in making an outcast, so to speak, of Pfeffer, the signers aver that they will boycet the Colts and National League in general. It is not moven how many signers the petition has, but it is claimed that the list is a long one.

What a fine lot of players there are there, and how little they have been appreciated?

Jim Davis, who before his receptated as one of the best osional third bassmen, is playand taking gymnastic exercis, with Pat Tebent, Billie Joyall players. Davis is getting



JAMES DAVIS.

began his professional life with Quincy in 184, and his next engagement was with the Bay City, Mich. team, on which Dave Foutz made his reputation. The St. Louisan also played with Baltimore, St. Louis, Kansas City, Brocklyn, Washington and Louisville in the American Association. He was a hard hitter, a speedy and accurate thrower and a fair fielder. He umpired creditably in the American Association. Davis knows the game thoroughly and if he can get an engagement with a minor league team at a satisfactory salary, will get back into harness. He has been the official announcer of the East St. Louis track since its opening.

A dispatch from Washington states that President Young is personally adverse to making any changes in the pitching rules in force in the National League last season. He claims that under the existing rule almost every member of a team has an opportunity to distinguish himself, either at the bat or in the field, and the pitcher, with a few exceptions, takes his chances with his comrades. JAMES DAVIS.

WRETCHED SERVICE.

Take a Relirced Train.

The Duestrow case made it necessary for a lot of St. Louisans to ge up to Union, and nothing could more, plainly illustratis the utter lack of suburban service which this city has to suffer than the inconveniences these persons were obliged to put up with. Gov. Johnson, Circuit Attorney Zachritz and many of the witnesses went up Sunday night. They left here at 4:50 p. m. and it was 7:30 before they got to Union, nearly 3 hours being occupied in covering 60 miles. Judge Hirsel disposed of the case by 1:30 p. m. Monday, and yet unless a ten-mile drive were taken to Washington, where the Missouri Pacific could be caught, those wishing to return to St. Louis were obliged to stay over night in Union and take a 5:30 a. m. train back. This train reaches St. Louis at 8:20.

Union is on the St. Louis & Colorado road, and in so far as any effect is made by this corporation to furnish adequate transportation, might almost as well be on a turnplike.

PLANE THE ICE.

Engineer Isaac Smith Has a Plan to Get Engineer Isaac A. Smith, who was general superintendent of construction during the making of the Post-Dispatch Lake at For-est Park, has a plan which he thinks excels all others for providing good skating. In a communication Mr. Smith says:

CUNNINGHAM'S LOAN.

thereby making a little money into the bargain.

A few days ago a rather prepossessing fellow approached Mr. Cunningham and after telling him a hard luck story, requested a loan of 315 on his watch. The timepiece looked good, and out of the fulness of his heart the accommodating hotal man granted his request. On inspecting the watch more closely later on it was found to be one of those cheap affairs which are sold every day in the second-hand and auction stores for about \$5\$. Cunningham told his tale of twoe to a drummer who was stopping in the hotel, and that individual volunteered to sell the watch for him at a profit. His offer was accepted.

The drummer then procured a lot of envelopes in which he enclosed numbers ranging from 1 to 30. He then unfolded his scheme to several of the guests in the cafe. The plan was this: After the envelopes were all mixed up in a hat, any one desiring a chance for the watch was to draw out an envelope, and the number he drew represented the amount he had to pay for his chance. For instance, if he drew No. 1, he paid 1 cent; if he drew No. 7 he paid 7 cents, if he drew No. 2 he paid 2 cents, and so on down to 60. All of the numbers added together amounted to \$18.50.

The idea seemed to take with the guests, and it was not long before all the numbers were taken, and they then proceeded to shake dice for the watch, see that easy, though. The crowd rushed him up to the bar and before he got awy drinks to the amount of \$7.25 had been imbibed at his expense, which made him loser on the watch trade something over \$2.

It is said that he is now vainly trying to find some one who will kindly undertake to raffie off the watch for him.

DUNHAM-GILBERT.

A Handsome Church Wedding to Tal

The nuptials of Mr. William G. Dunhan of 4352 Westminster place and Miss Louis Gilbert will be celebrated this evening at o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal Church The bride, an unusually handsome girl, it he daughter of Mr. William Jewett Gilber of 3963 Delmar boulevard. The groom is a brother-in-law of Rev. Dr. Boyd, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, who will assis Rev. Dr. Lee in the performance of the marriage ceremony.

Bobert F. Romero of Galveston Was Arrested Here.

Robert F. Romero was arrested Monday evening at the Union Station on a telegram from Galveston, Tex., where he is wanted for forgery. He was formerly employed by the Galveston Construction Co., and losing his position, is said to have forged two checks on J. F. O'Connor, Vice-President of the company, for \$155. He was accompanied by his wife and 12-year-old niece.

Polk Miller's Entertainment.

Mr. Polk Miller, the Southern humorist, gave a fine entertainment Monday evening at the Germania Theater with his interpretation of old Virginia negro dislect and songs. Mr. Miller showed that he thoroughly understood the characteristics of this fast dying out type, and such were his powers of mimicry and humor that he kept his hearers constantly pleased and amused. The entertainment was for the benefit of the Methodist Orphans' Home and was well attended.



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Heart, resulting from general or local Nervous Debility; in Organic Disease, when the action of the Heart requires to be strengthened or rendered regular; Dropsy, Bright's Disease and Anamia, take Cardine. In the latter condition Cardine acts with great certainty in increasing the quality of the red blood

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THE COLUMBIA CHEMICAL CO.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., December 19th, 1894.—The annual meeting or the stockholders of the Harland Patent Can Co., for the election of directors, will be held in the office of the said company, Nos. 405 and 408 North Second street, cy Toesday, January 224, 1895.

WM. H. GREGG, JR., President, E. H. DYER, Secretary.

E. H. DYER, Secretary.

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8T. LOUIS, Mo. December 12th, 1894—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lacled Gas Light Company, for the election of directors and for the transaction of any other business which may be properly brought before it, will be held at the office of the company, in St. Louis, on Monday, January Zist. 1896, at 9 a. m. The transfer books will be closed December 28th, 1894, and will be reopened January 22d, 1895. By order of the board.

A. BOSS. SECTELLY.

8T. LOUIS, Mo. December 19, 1894.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mound City Faint and Color Co., for the election of directors, will be held in the office of the said company, Nos. 406 and 408 North Secund street, on Monday, January 21st, 1895.

NOSEKIS B. GREGG. President.

400 and 408 North Second street, on Monday, January 21st, 1896.

E. H. DYEE, Assistant Secretary. 2403
OPFRUE of Lincoln Trust Co., St. Louis, Jan. 5th 1896.—The annual meeting of stockholders will be a street of the stockholders of the stockholders. Polis will be open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

J. B. CARE, President.

A. B. WOERHEIDE, Secretary.

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THE annual meeting of stockholders for the stechnolders of directors for the Stegeman-Hausperger China Co. will take place at the office of the company. No. 1000 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 21st of January, 1896. Polis open from 9 a. m. to 12 m. At the same time and place a proposition will be submitted to the stockholders to change the number of directors of the company from four to three.

H. J. STEGEMAN,

H. J. STEGEMAN. President. STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 14, 1895.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the A. M. Nelson Paint Co. will be held at the office of the company on Monday, January 21, for the election of officers, and such other business as may come hafure the meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS' METING—Office of Natural Bridge Investment Company, northeast corner of Etghth and Chestout streets, St. Louis, Mo., Janary 5th, 1856.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Natural Bridge Investment Company, and the transaction

PFICE of Constructing Quartermaster, Jefferson Barracks, Mo. Jan. 15, 1985.—Scaled proposals, triplicate, will be received here until 11 o'clock m. February 13, 1985, for the construction of M. wasrbose fockers, in flarracks, at Jefferson arracks, Mo. Plans and instructions furnished on piferation.

KAM H. JONES, A. P.

GO TO MCNICHOL'S, FRIENDS You may talk about great riches.
And of fame and hope and loy;
But none of these can count at all
With a happy home, my hop.
You may travel Bast and travel West,
By land, balloon or ses;
But the ch closet thing you'll ever find
Is that which came to me.

I never was contented.

I graw up a lonely man;

'I'lli I took a wife and made a
On this-McNichol's plan.
I had no heavy purse of gold;
I had no friends to speak
To get me started on my way
But I learned to pay, each u

At first it may seem funny,
And you'll doubt the thing, o
Until pour wire will threaten
To leave and talk divorce.
She wants a home-dou't blame
That's why she took a man—
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1015, 1022, 1024 Market st., St. Louis, Mar.
P. S.—It is true, every word of it, that you of trusish a heautiful house, flat or evens time credit, but you have, flat or evens the credit, but the credit flat of the part, curtain, hedding, haby cries and carries dishes, pictures, clocks, lamps, shades, refrigerate coal, gas and oll stores, ranges, etc.

McNichol keeps solid goods for the least cost.

EHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authorty of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Clerk of the Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1886, of said Court, and to me directed, where is Newcomb Bres. Wall Paper Co., a corporation, is plaintiff and Ellen Grant is defendant, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the mechanic's lien, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 38 of Beardalee's sub-division is Chancellier Tract, in the Grand Prairie Common Fields of City of St. Louis, Missouri, and city block numbered 5745. Said lot having a frontage of 50 feet on the south side of Page avenue, upon which said lot of ground there are improvements consisting of a two-story brick dwelling house. And I will, on WEDNESDAY, THE SOTH DAY OF JANUARY, between the hours of 3 o'clock in the fore-noon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public au-tion, for cash, to the highest blidler, the above ac-scribed property to satisfy said execution and costs.

Sheriff, City of St. Louis, Mo. St. Louis, Mo. Jan. 7, 1896.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and autherity of a special execution issued from the office of the Clierk of the Citrust Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term. 1895. of said Court, and to me directed, wherein Angust Heman is pisintiff and Katherine Potthoff is defendant, I have levied upon and asized the following described real estate, charged with the special eax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot in city block 5705, having a front of 25 feet on south line of Cottage avenue by a depth southwardly of 124 feet five inches; bounded north by Cottage avenue, east by O'Connell, south by alley, west by Stadier, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri. And I will, on WEDNESDAY, THE BOTH DAY OF JANUAP*

ISOS, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the and 5 o'clock in the afternoon day, at the east front door Court House in the City of St. Louis, S souri, sell, at public auction, for cash, i est bidder, the above described property, said execution and costs. HENNY T Sheriff City of St. Lo.

SPECIAL Commissioner's Sais in Partition

EMPLOYMENT GROUPING.

SALESMAN—Wanted, situation by an all-good salesman in dry goods business; dress preferred; like the association better; would some adjacent city or town; a married man dress I. C. C., 2244 Washington av. OUNG MAN-Wants situation, to do any kind of work. Address X 281, this office.

HELP WANTED-MALES.

6 cents per line each insertion.

CANVASEERS WANTED—25 canvassers for household article; indispensable; 1 to 5 needs every family; large profits. Crescent Mfg.

Manager's office, 1468 Olive st. FREE treatment for all diseases at Franches Pres Dispensary, 1214 Franklin av. MASON WANTED—Mason to build founds cellar walls. Add. M 262, this office.

PORTER WANTED-A colored porter in barbe shop. 305 N. Leffingwell av.

\$12.50 UP—Suits and overcosts to order. Meerit Tailoring Co., 8th and Olive sts.

\$3.00 UP-Pants to order. Mearits Tailoring Co 210 N. 8th st., cor. Olive, second floor. MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

AYWARD'S SHORT

Business College, 702, 704 and 706 Olived hight school. Phone 479. M SHORTHAND COLLEGE.

CATIONS WANTED-FEMALES.

HOUSEWORK—Situation to do general hous in small family. Address 2124 Franklin av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeepe or cook by young German widow. Add. Mrs Wargowski, 228 W. Courtols st. Wargowski, 228 W. Courtons st.

NOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by a neat an refined lady as housekeeper or assistant in titchen; please call. 916 N. 15th st. MAID—Wanted, situation as lady's maid or nursery governess to teach French; no objection to do beusework or dining-room work or sew. Address E 262, this office.

TYPEWRITER—By lady typewriter, copying of any kind at home or in office. 3102 Olive st. WOMAN-Situation wanted by widow; has furni-ture for sale. Address R 282, this office.

STOVE REPAIRS. Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. J. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED-FEMALES.

APPRENTICE WANTED-At 1004 Vandevente

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron must understand her business. 4191 Morgan st. COOK WANTED—Woman cook; first class; \$18 per month if first-class in pastery and meats. Ad-dress F 262, this office. DISHWASHER WANTED—Young girl to wash dishes. 1615 Franklin av. DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED—Two girls, of dining-room and other for general work. It wash st.

JULIA'S ELOPEMENT.

If you want the ten-page one-cent Post Dispatch served by carrier, send a postal card addressed "Post-Dispatch," St. Louis

She Had Her Way and Paps Was Forced to Forgive Her. How that fat; bald-headed old gentleman,

How that fat; bald-headed old gentleman, her father, could have the heart to scold her, as petulantly as he was certainly doing, was among the inscrutables!

"A pretty idea!" said the old gentleman, the bald spot on the crown of his head growing perfectly pink with indignation. "In love, indeed! What business had you to fall in love? Never heard of such a preposterous afair in my life! Haven't I always told you that Joe Jefferson was to be your husband?"

GIRL WANTED For go IRL WANTED—A good colors housework. 2949 Dayton st. IRL WANTED-GIRL WANTED—Good Germ I housework. 2009 Eugenia st OUSEGIRL WANTED-At 4242A Evan girl for general bousework in family of 4.

washington av.

HOUSEMAID WANTED—Who will have par-care of children; must have good references.

McPherson av., n. e. cor. McPherson and Bo take Olive st. cable cars. OUSEGIRL WANTED—Best wages paid for com-petent girl for general housework, in family of ; to laundry work required; only first-class girl, rith best of refs., wanted. Call at 1911 S. Comp-

Washington av.

NURSE WANTED—Colored girl to nurse and in housework; referenced, 4152 Washington NURSE GIRL WANTED—A competent and e. eaced nurse girl, for child; must have good ences. Apply 3801 Plus street. WAIST - MAKER WANTED - Fir maker, 3418 Locust st.

YOUNG GIRL WANTED—16, or over, to ass with housework and children. Apply 3 Sh place, one block west of Lafayette and Grand.

AGENTS WANTED. 10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards. 20 cents per agat line cach insertion.

AGENTS WANTED-To sell the cele fornia Corset; send for cuts, prices and CALIFORNIA CORSET CO., Brooklyn, N. Y AGENTS WANTED—To sell merchants and car vassers Dandy sink cleaner; works automatically sink always clean; bousekeepers will discard filth sink brushes; price 50c; agent's sample 25c delivered. Address Dandy Manufacturing Co., 44 E. 4t st., Cincinnatt, O.

DANCING o cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cent r agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agat e each insertion. MITCHBLL'S Dancing Academy, 1626 S. 18th st. first 2 lessons private without extra charge. SPECIAL rates to former pupils and to pupils joining our class this week. Lessons every day and evening. Mr. and Mrs. Adama' Dancing Academy, 2715 Washington av.

PARTNERS WANTED.

PARTNER WANTED—A good plasterer in a of 20,000 inhabitants; sobriety and industry only stock in trade required. Ad. Y 260, this o

STORE—For sale, a candy and cigar store, che Address 1114 N. 9th st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

FURNITURE—For sale, furniture of 4 rooms; will sell cheap if taken soon. 1706A Lucas av.

LOST AND FOUND.

BEADS—Lost, on Washington av. cars or on corner of 18th and Washington av., Sunday, 18th inst., pair of shother of pearl prayer beads, large cross attached. Finder please return to 1819 Missouri av. or Janis. Phillips & Co., corner but and Lo-DOGS-Lost, two beagle hounds, spotted pups Reward if returned to 4425 Blair av.

DOG-Lost, a setter dog; white and yellow colla on. Return to 612 N. 4th st., and receive reward DIAMOND STUD—Lost, diamond stud at Fair Grounds Lake or on the way there or back Mon-day evening. Liberal reward to finder if returned to 745 S. 3d st.

FURSE—Lost, Friday evening, a brown alligate skin purse, contenting a sum of money, sample of dress goods and a bunch of keys. Thought' to have been left in Fourth street cable car. Reward if re-turned to Cashier Wolf-Wilson Drug Co.

SPECTACLES-Lost, pair of gold spectacles on Forest Park Lake Sunday, Jan. 13; \$2 reward. Return to 1521 Fenrose st.

SPECTACLES-Lost, new spectacles, probably on Washington av., front of Visitation Convent. Suitable reward if returned to Chemical National Bank.

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Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of early description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st.

gantly furnished rooms 75c and \$1; transcenseregular roomers.

WASH ST., 1701—2 unfurnished rooms and 2 fu

WASH ST., 1238—Nicely furnished room for 1 or 2 men; home comfort.

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WASHINGTON AV., 2715—Newly furnished sunny front, room; hot bath, gas fire, \$12.

WARE, 507—Neatly-furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; every convenience.

WIND\$60R PL., 3702—3 rooms; last floor; \$11; water in kitchen.

KEELEY, 1113 Chestnut st.

WASHWOMAN—Wanted, nice family washing to take home; good cistern water. 4561 Cottage av. 1013 WASHINGTON—Nicely-furnished front rooms \$2 to \$3 per week, with gas and fire; other rooms.

ICKORY ST., 3316—3 rooms; 2d floor; water kitchen; \$8. KEELEY, 1113 Chestnut st

ROOM—A large elegantly furnished 2d-story from; gas. bath and all conveniences; home conforms; strictly private family. Address M 250, the

only E ST., 2328 New and neatly furnished room, with or without board.

OLIVE ST., 2116 Nice furnished rooms, with or without lat-class meals.

ST. ANGE AV., 1201—Nicely furnished large roof first-class table; terms reasonable.

ROOM—One of two gentlemen can secure room with breakfast in atrictly private family; Westend. Add. P 262, this office.

BOARD WANTED.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

5 cents per line each insertion.

BOARD WANTED—For gent, wife and little dau ter, near Stoddard School. Could furnish my o rooms, or would board out a lot of nice furnish Address T 262, this office.

BOARDING—Wanted, a quiet gentleman, past middle age, a stranger in the city, for the winter, desires room, with or without board, in the home of some refined little widow or other unincumbered lady living alone who will make him comfortable; one who enjoys art, literature or the stage would be congenial; good accommodations desired and best of references given. Address C, C. Burton, General Delivery, City.

ONTARIO STORAGE HOUSES

812, 814, 816, 818 N. Tenth St.,

For furniture, planos, vehicles, trunks, boxes, store and saloon fixtures, etc.; separate rooms, household goods carefully moved, packing and shipping by reliable workmen; estimates cheerfully furnished free: money advanced, vans and wagons for hire. Call and examine warehouse. Telephone 2842.

ALFRED J. YANDELL, Manager.

Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co

5 cents per line each in

LOCUST ST., 1706-Nicely furn

10TH ST., 14 N.—Fine from nished or unfurnished; ref quire at second floor.

DRGAN ST., 1480-Furnished from for gents or ight houseleeping; \$2 per week. DRGAN ST., 2000-Second-story front, comforta-oly furnished; also rooms for housekeeping or weet; large toom in.

DLIVE ST., 1527A-Nicely furnished room; gas; 2 gents or light housekeeping; \$2.50 per week.

DLIVE ST., 2317-Second-story frost room; also dining-room and kitchen for bousekeeping; \$12.

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion. DOG-For sale, one of the finest young mastiff bitches in the State. 4407 Washington av. ENGINES—One 150 H.P. Buckeye, slow speed. One 90 H. P. Corliss. Address A. M. Morse, Com-mercial Building.

PIANOS-Elegant 2d-hand square and upright planos at rare bargains. Estey & Camp, 916 Olive st.

PROF. DALLMER of Berlin, manguitar, banjo and piano instructor;
free; dancing lessons by assistant
Thursday. 2819 Olive st.

> M. JOHN LANG & CO. of first-class violins, cellos and repairing of all kinds of stri-se; hairing and festoring bows a spi-s of German and Italian string

TO EXCHANGE.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per line each insertion.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

Wanted.

For Sale.

ORSE—For sale, fine black horse, good for thing; stands without hitching. 32M Morgan HORSE—For sale, \$150 will purchase a good horse, 2 buggies and set of harness; a big bar gain. Call at l'ust-Dispatch office.

HORSE—For sale, horse, buggy and harness, grocery wagon, \$30; road wagon, \$20; storm gr, \$30; great bargains. Prof. Clark, 19th Pine sts. Taylor av.

SLEIGHS—Fancy swell body, plush lined, \$17.50 open and top wagons of all kinds on monthly pay ments. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1110 N. Broadway WAGONS McCobe, Young & Co., 1273 N. Broad way, will best anybody's price on grocer, laun dry, butcher, baker, carpenter and plumber's wag ons; also first-class storm buggles, surreys and jump-seat buggles of all kinds.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE. oney to loan in amounts of \$200, \$50 0, \$600, \$700, \$800, \$900, \$1,000 irst-class city real estate security. JOHN H. TERRY & SONS, \$21 Chestnut at.

4 ELEGANT PLATS.

Central **Business** Property.

The site of the old Post-Dis patch building has been placed in our hands

For Sale or Lease.

The lot fronts 52.5 on Market street by a depth of 115 to alley; is a site particuy desirable for many pur-

The future of this great business thoroughfare is assured. Central locations are becoming scarce. Will be pleased to give terms and particulars to interested parties.

Anderson-Wade Realty Co., 8th and Locust.

FOR RENT-DWELLINGS. 10 cents per line; Display Headlines, per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents

CHAS. H. BAILEY,

hotel.

712 N. 2d st., 4-story store.

715 N. Main st., 3-story store.

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915 Tyler st., 6-room house; cheap rent.

1427 N. 6th st., store; family rooms; very chea

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1311 Easton av., 3 rooms, first floor, yard.

3130 Easton av., 4-room flats; bath; low cent.

Hotel 7th and St. Charles; 50 rooms.

FOR RENT-FLATS 10 cents per line; Display Cards, 20 cents peagate line each insertion.

REST REDUCED. CORNET & ZEIBIG. 111 N. 7th st

MONEY TO LOAN ON PERSONAL PROP'Y. 10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cent per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agai line each insertion.

MONEY to loan on watches, diamonds fewelry, guas, pistols, clothing, musical material materials, etc., from \$1 to \$50,000. 8. Van Realte & Co., Loan Office, 12 and 14 S. Fourth st.

CONFIDENTIAL LOANS negotiated on furniture, planos, building association stock, etc.; terms and rates to suit borrowers. Guarantee and Storage Co., 717 Market st. LOANS on furniture in residence, city real estate and all good securities; fair and reasonable terms. Room 2, 904 Olive st. BOANS—On furniture in residence, pience and other good securities; business confidential; rate and payments to suit borrower. Rm.1, 1081/1 N. 8th.

UKAN sell your life insurance policy to Forse Bres., Third and Pine. FURNITURE LOAMS.

MONEY TO LOAN

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1303 Washington Av., 2d Floor

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ANNA HAGERBAUMER, 2052

St. Louis, Jan. 14, 1805.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Frank Deister, Jr., deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-House in said city on the first Monday in March next.

CHARLES SOUDDER, Tables Administrator in Charge of the Estate of

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
LA SALLE ST.—B. Cork to Kate E. Cork,
30 feet, city block 1273—warranty deed.....
TOWKE GROVE AV.—D. A. Brennan to
Mary O, Donnell, 35 feet, city block 427—
warranty deed....
ST. VINCENT ST.—Wm. E. Hess and wife
to Mary Reingruber, 38 feet, city block
215.
MADISON ST.—Julia T. Cavanaugh et al. to
ADDISON ST.—Julia T. Cavanaugh et al. to Huff, 5 feet, city block 29

HIGH OLD TIM

They're Having One To-Day in the Builders' Exchange.

It's All on Account of the Annual Election of Officers,

BALLOTS CAST TO MUSIC AND A BANQUET AT THE CLOSE,

Head the Rival Tickets-Both Have Many Friends and There is a Lively Contest at the Polls-More Than Two Hundred Were at the Banquet-Music Songs and Dancing.

p within its brick walls than it has had in

words.
The star performances of the affair, however, were a recitation by Secretary Walsh and a clog dance by Candidate-Fitzgibbon.
The latter effort was a marvel, aithough the gentleman's modesty was overcome only by the greatest eloquence on the part of his fellow members.

Among the guests at the banquet were Chief of Police Harrigan, Fire Chief Lindsay, Police Commissioner Fruin, Louis Cella, Isaac P. Taylor, Building Commissioner Reid, A. H. Kirchner, Edward Devoy, and John J. O'Connor, Secretary of the Knights of St. Patrick.

At 2 o'clock the polls were closed and the counting of ballots began. The impression seemed to prevail that Ward had won.

SUICIDE NOTES.

POLITICAL DRIFT.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 15.—The election of has Rominated Compression via Sweet for United States Senator.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 15.—Geo. William Sewell was nominated for United States Senator by the Republican caucus.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 13.—The friends of Gov. Nelson, one of the candidates for United States. Senator, claim that the A. P. A. sass-clating is sending circulars to all members of the House, requesting them to prevent his nomination to the United States Secate. This is supposed to be a Washburn more.

on in the world I care

HER HUSBAND, HADNO RIGHTS

Mrs. C. H. Travis Thinks He Is American Consul Not Obli-Hidden From Her.

Charges the Misses McKernan of Vincennes With Duplicity.

HER INTERESTING NARRATIVE OF HES MOST ROMANTIC LIFE.

Married When 15 to a man of 47-Exiled With Him From the Argentine Republic - Separated From Him at Vincennes Eleven Weeks Ago - Her

eyed baby boy at 815 North Fourth stree

BIG ROW IN KANSAS.

Republicans and Populists Split on Election of State Printer.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 15.—A sensational incident took place in the Kansas Senate to-day when that body received a concurrent resolution from the House providing that both bodies go into joint ses-sion to elect a State printer.

TO IMPEACH RICKS.

House Judiciary Committee Vote Stood 7 For to 6 Against.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—At 8:15 p. m. to-day the house judiciary committee decided to report a resolution for the impeachment of Sudge Bicks, of Cleveland, O. The vote was 7 for, to 6 against.

AFTER WELKENEB.

Stand by Brunk. Stand by Brunk.
having been rumored that Delegate John H.
kener of the Ninth Ward had determined to act
a the Democrats and prevent the seating of
the Thruck of the Fifth Ward, recently declared
ind to the seat by the courts, a number of Releans have addressed a commication to Mr.
kener asking him to remain faithful to the Relean party and assist the Republicans in reoning the House of Delegates. The document
as that he was elected by the Republicans, and
with the admonition "unless you do this we
not recognize you as a Republican representafrom the Ninth Ward." The House will meet
evening, when another attempt will be made to
Brack, all previous ettempts having failed.
Ind he be seated a reorganization will follow,
be Republicans will be in the majority.

gated to Protect Japanese

Who Might Be Found on China's Territory During War.

CHINESE IN JAPAN UNDER JURISDIC-TION OF JAPANESE COURTS.

There is a young woman with a big blueeyed baby boy at \$15 North Fourth street
whose advant is St. Louis is the rather unfortunate cultimination of a romantic iffe.
Beath here by the Masons of Vincennes,
main until she could locate her an could reharmative of her life to a Post-Dispatch
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reporter at the Woman's Training Jchool,
where she is buing caref for all present:

"My standard of the History of the H

piects and sometimes did well and sometimes poorly.

"On Oct. § 1894, we arrived in Vincennes; Ind., and enjoyed board with the Misses Clara and Katie McKernan, whose home is on Seventh street, near the depot. I remained at the McKernan, and the first week after he left he sent me \$5. Not receiving any more from him, the next four weeks and having no money to pay my board, I was put out. Then I went to the Masons, to which order my husband belongs, and they sent me to St. Louis, saying I could more likely get a home there.

"But what I want to do is to find my husband. I know he wants to find me, and I think these McKernans at Vincennes are sate." And speaking of the same subject were found in their purposely and maliciously trying to prevent us from finding each other. They have written to me telling me they knew where he was, but refusing to tell me his whereabouts, and they have also written to him telling might they knew where I was, but refusing to tell mim my whereabouts. This I know because they told me so in a letter."

"But what I want to do is to find my husband belongs and the service of Japan, there is small, if any, room for doubt. Mr. Jornigan says, "Some papers found in their possession would naturally, in a state of war, create a suspicion tending to support the charge."

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"The Chinese Minister claims that besides the session when arrested without torture, they had been employed by their government to obtain and forward by telegraph and otherwise information useful in couducting military operations against China, and they had been engaged in that business. It will not be said by anyone after reading the accompanying correspondence that Mr. Jornigan is by slightest degree of the favor of the Chinese authority, and in a report he says: "The two alleged spies were not executed as soon as handed over, but their cases were under investigation for nearly six weeks, and I am now assured that there was no unfairness practiced against them during the investigation.' And in a still later report he states that a letter from an intelligent foreign resident at Nankin, where the two Japanese were executed despite the reports of their torture. Other letters from the same gentleman have proved so accurate that I am disposed to accept the reported torture as without substantial proof. "The Chinese Government deny that the men were put to death by being torture, and the department is not advised that they were tortured.

"Of the decision that he prisoners were not subject to the jurisdiction of the Censul General of the nUited States at Shanghal and that he could not give them asylum the Japanese Government made no complaint."

DRUGAN MARRIED

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WHEAT

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May . | \$11.87% | \$11.75 | \$11.00 | \$11.00 5.95 | 5.87%|5.87%@.9 CHICAGO Wheat January, 54%; May, 57%; July, 58%; Corn—January, 45%; May, 47%; Oats—January, 28%; n. May, 50%; b. Provisions—Pork—January, 51.22%; May, 51.60. Ribs—January, 55.72%; May, 55.77%; 50.00. Lard—January, 55.72%; May,

MINNEAPOLIS-Wheat-May, 59%c; Ju-MILWAUKEE—Barley—Cash, 54%; Feb.

1 strictly do at \$11.00, 2 tency (1 large-baled) at \$12.

East side: Clover—1 car mixed at \$10,50, 1 at \$11.50. Timothy—2 cars choice at \$10.50, 2 do at \$10.50, 5 strictly do (1 % bales) at \$11, 2 fancy (1 % bales and 1 % bales) at \$11.50, 1 do (large-baled) at \$12.

FLOUR—Market very quiet, but steady in price.

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SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS.

GRASS SEEDS—Weaker, but demand fair. Clover poor to fair, \$1,50@3.25; choice, \$4,000.30; timothy, \$4,750%.25; red top, \$30,50; Hungarian and millet, \$1,400.170.

FLAXSEED—Quiet. Quotable at \$1.57.

HEMPSEED—Steady at \$2.50 per 100 lbs., pure test.

CASTOR BEANS—Prime, \$1.25; small lots and inferior less.

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PROVISIONS.
PORK—Standard mess, \$11.75 for new and \$11.50 for old; on orders, higher.
LARD—Prime steam, 8.62%c; choice, 8.72%c. LARD—Prime steam, 6.52%c; choice, 572%c.

BACON—Boxed lots: Shoulders, 5%6%c; longs, 6%c; clear ribs, 6%c; short clear, 5%c. On orders, longs, 7c; clear ribs, 7%c; short clear, 7%c.

D. S. MEATS—Boxed, f. o. b., on cash orders—Shoulders, 4%c; longs, 5%c; clear ribs, 5%c; short clear, 6%c. On orders—Boxed, longs, 6c; clear ribs, 6%c; short clear, 6%c.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

Lead—Quiet, but held firmly at \$2.90.

Specker—Dull and easy at \$3.07% sellers.

ON THE STREET.

(The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)

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APPLES—Firm; choice fruit scarce. Ber Davis range from 8.75 to 8.75; per bbl; Gentting, \$262.75; Eastern at \$2.4062.80 for seconds, \$363.85 for Baldwin and Greening. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—Pears selling at 1,5062 per box. ORANGES—Firm. Supplies light and de-nand quiet. Florda. large sizes, \$2.7563; mali sizes, \$3.2563.50. LEMONS—Messina and Palermo, \$2.5063.50 LEMONS-Messina and Palermo, \$2.0003.50 per box.

BANANAB-Selections suitable for filling orders sell at \$161.50 per bunch, according to size.

COCOANUTS-Selling in round lots from first hands at \$2625 per 1,000—in a small way at \$2.75 per 100.

CRANBERRIES-Cape Cod selling at \$12 per bbl; Jersey at \$100/11 per bbl and \$3.50 per box.

DRIED FRUIT-Steady but quiet. Apples-Sun-dried quarters, \$6644c; evaporated rings, \$6644c; chopped, \$4c; cores and pesings, \$4674c.

VEGETABLES.

rings, 60%;c; chopped, 4/c; cores and pesings, 4/3/c.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Steady; demand good. Eastern burbank quotable at 50056; Northern stock, 50055a for mixed stid interfor to 55005c for choice; home-grown, 4055c; on orders, 10c per bu more than foregoing prices are charged.

ONIONS—Scarce; firm. Fancy red globe 550/55c per bu; choice yellow, 45/055c; small and damaged, 25/056c. On orders 10c per bu more than foregoing prices are charged.

SPANISH ONIONS—Dull at 85/090c per case.

New Southern lower at 25/600c per doz bunches.

TURNIPS—Home-grown on orders at \$1 per bbl; consignments not wanted.

CAULIFLOWER—\$1.50 to \$4 per doz.

LETTUCE—Southern, \$4/65 per bbl.

SPINACH—Home-grown, \$2 per bbl.

EGGS.

Received, \$1,915 cases; shipped, 20 cases; steady; demand fair; fresh quotable 15/5c per doz and held stock at 16/2c less.

BUTTER—Creamery: Separator, 20/9 20; gathered cream, 15/9/30; fancy Elgin, 25/9/2c. Dairy: Good to choice, 16/9/18c; common to fair, 96/11c, Country packed and roll, 76/8c; strong, air-struck and inferior, 46/8c. Grease butter, \$2.

CHEESE—Full cream, twins, 11c; singles, 11/4c; Young America, 11/2c Southern Wisconsin, twins, \$6/84/9c; singles, \$4/67/84c; Young America, \$1/40; Southern Wisconsin, twins, \$6/84/9c; singles, \$4/67/84c; Young America, \$1/40; Southern Wisconsin, twins, \$6/84/9c; Singles, \$1/4/67/10; Limburger, \$6/94/9c; Swiss, choice, 13/4/94/10c.

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GAME—Receipts and demand light.
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da, 10@10%c. MAPLE SYRUP—Fair to choice, 5670c MAPLE SIRUP—Fair to endes, Solve per gai.

HONEY—Strained and extracted, in bbls. 44.05c per lb; in cans. 64.05c; tancy near-by and California, in cans. 509c; inferior, iesa. Comb yellew. 501ic; fancy white, 1501sc. CIDER—Poor to choice is quotable at 15.05 to 4.55 per bbl. 64.56 per bbl. 64.56 per bbl. 64.56 per bbl. 64.56 per bbl. 50.56 per bbl. 5 POPCORN—Quotable at \$1.25@1.45 per 100

HOPS—Quiet. New York, choice, 11@13c per lb; Pacific Coast, 10@11c; foreign, 30@ SALT—Domestic, Est Ride, 85c per bbl; this side, 30c.
OILS—Linseed oil, raw. 54c per gal; boiled, 50c.
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BONES—Choice bleached, 315 per ton; skinny, 35; junk, 310; slaughter-house stock, 1798, 50.

\$708.50. CLD ROPE AND RUBBER-RAGS, OLD ROPE AND RUBBER-RAGS, OGGO per 100 lbs. Old rope, No. 1, 15. No. 2, Soc. Old rubber, \$4. SCRAP IRON AND METAL-Iron, wrought, 25c per 100 lbs; heavy cast, 25c, stove plate, 25c; malleable and burnt, 15c. Brass, light, 35; heavy, \$5. Copper, \$6. Lead, \$2.50. Zinc, \$2. Pewter, \$9. HEMP-Missouri, undressec, \$70080 per ton. BAGGING—Order prices, 1%-lb, 4%c; 2-lb, c; 2%-lb, 5%c. Iron ties, 65c. Hemp twine,

CATTLE—Receipts, 4.723, including 69 cars of native and 110 cars of Southern cattle: The native cattle market was slow but steady. The Southern cattle market opened slow and continued slow. Prices were about steady at yeasterday's decline. The arrivals included grass cattle, half-fed cattle and full-fed cattle.

NATIVE CATTLE SALES.

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fay. 25,000 head; official yesterday, 42,034; shipments, 12,380; left over, 5,000; weak and 16,000 lower; trade dragging; light, 34,94,40; mixed, 34,05,94,60; heavy, 34,05,94,70; rough, 14,05,94,30. Cattie receipts, 5,000; market dull and easy. Sheep receipts, 12,000; market dull and easy. Sheep receipts, 12,000; market slow but steady. Estimated hog receipts to-morrow, 45,000.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—Cattie—Receipts, 6,200; shipments, 700. Market quiet and steady. Texas steers, \$2,50,92,90; Texas cows, \$1,5093,25; Colorado steers, \$3,5094,25; beef steers, \$2,50,92,35; native cows, \$1,5094,55; beef steers, \$2,50,92,35; native cows, \$1,5093,25; Colorado steers, \$2,5092,30; bulls, \$1,5093,45; packers, \$1,6003. Hogs.—Receipts, 16,000; shipments, none. Market weak to 100 lower; bulk of sales, \$404,25; heavy; \$4,1094,45; packers, \$4,64,45; mixed, \$2,3004,40; lights, \$1,5093,45; Yorkers, \$3,8503,30; plgs, \$2,7598,45. Sheep—Receipts, 2,200; shipments, none; market steady.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15, noon.—Money on call easy at 1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 2½,644 per cent. Bterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at 480 for demand and 488 for sixty days; posted rates 483,49489 and 489,46940; commercial bills 48. Bilver certificates 55% bid; no sales. Bar silver 5%. Mexican dollars 49. Government bonds firm. U. 8 for reg 115%; do coupons 117%; do 4s reg 113; do de coupons 118; do 2s reg 7; Pacific 8s of 1895, 100.

After 11 o'clock Sugar became heavy, sagging off ½ per cent, with a subsequent rally of ½. The general market was also depressed. Iowa Central preferred decilining 1 per cent, Canadian Southern ½, Rock Island, Cotton Oil and Cordage ½ and other shares ½ 5% per cent, some shares recorded advances, including C. C. C. 488. L and N J Central ¾ and Lake Shore ½. National Starch first preferred rose 5 per cent to 45. The market is firm at this hour. Sales to noon 56,500 shares, including 47,600 listed and 9,200 unlisted.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Wheat opened quiet at ½c under the close of yesterday. Cables were easy and there was more wheat for sale than was wanted. May opened at 58,74, and may ribs at 18,36.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 15.—Corn steady; No. 2, 41½c; No. 3, 41c. Osts steady; No.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MONEY.

gress. NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—London houses bought considerable L. & N. They had buying orders in the different arbitrage stocks. Room traders are buying the grangers. Further gossip on Ontario & Western is that the company has earned something on its stock last year, and that the stock is cheap at present prices.

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mrst Monday of March next.

MARY McCARTHY.
Administratrix of the Estate of Daniel J. Me-Carthy, Deceased.
St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1805.

NOTICE OF Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Jacob Walter, deceased, that we, the undersigned executors of said estate, intend to make straight of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court House in said city on the first Monday of March next.

WILLIAM WALTHER

NOTICE OF Final Settlement-given to all creditors and other estate of Monica Binder (nee K that L the understened Admini

COTTON.

Local market—Steady; sales, 3,185 bales; receipts tolday, 2,588 bales; since Sept. 1, 1894, 660,073 bales; shipments to-day, 3,181 bales; shipments since Sept. 1, 1894, 666,184 bales; shipments since Sept. 1, 1894, 666,184 bales. Stock, 73,788 bales. Quotations: Ordinary, 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)ec good ordina

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JUDGE ELLIOTT'S CHARGE.

Instructions of Lynchings to the Kansas City Grand-Jury.

ARKANBAS CITY, Ark., Jan. IE.—Charging the Grand-jury relative to the recent triple lynching, udge John M. Elliott said: your attention to the murder of H. C. Patton at McGhee's Station, in this county, in September last, and the mob that killed the perperators of that murder. I knew H. C. Patton personally, having known him for many years, and I bear cheerful testimony to his high standing as a citizen of this county. He was just and honorable in all of his dealings with his fellow-man; indeed, he was a most exemplary Christian gentleman. As Judge of the circuit, I have had occasion to appoint him several times to positions of great trust, and always found him worthy of all confidence. The three negro men, Luke and Richard Washington and Henry Clay Robinson, who so foully murdered H. C. Patton, were apprehended and brought back to the scene of their crime. When brought before the examining court they each voluntarily confessed, and gave in detail the horrible manner in which they murdered Mr. Patton. They told of Mr. Patton closing his store after dark, and of Henry Robinson striking him from behind with a club, crushing his skull. They then dragged him behind the storehouse in some bushes, there cut his throat, returned to the store, robbed it and fied.

These are deplorable, undisputed facts in the case, horrible, it is true, and there is no excuse or justification for it. The perpetrators of this crime should, and I believe would, have been brought to speedy justice. No sympatry or sentiment would have been wasted on them, but what I complain of, gentlemen of the jury, is that the law was not permitted to take its course. Did you ever stop to think, gentlemen, that the violent outburst of mob law of life-taking defeats the primary ends of qustice and leaves society in a worse condition than it was before? Men must be punished for their crimes, as justice demands, according to the statutes and under legal forms, and not by the sudden and often unjust

Under the management of Henry N. Will ley the mammoth Hotel Eastman will open on Jan. 23. Will be conducted both on the American and European plans.

N. B.—Elegant bath-house connected with

To Do the Chinamen.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 15.—A lady who appeared greatly agitated visited several hardware stores here and in an excited manner forbade the clerks to sell revolvers to boys under penalty of the law. Investigation revealed that the woman, a Mrs. Cole, had found two loaded revolvers in the possession of two of her sons, aged il and 13, and when she questioned them they said they carried them "to do up the Chinamen." The boys said they had formed themselves into a gang "to do the Chinamen," and all of them were armed with revolvers.

For Coughs, Asthma and Throat Discreters use "Brown's Bronchial Troches." 250

Grant Approved.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—The adjustment of the grant made by the act of June 3, 1858, to aid in the construction of the South and North Alabama Railroad Co. of Alabama has been approved by Secretary Smith. More than 100,000 acres are still due on account of the grant and the adjustment shows that \$35 acres have been erroneously certified. So far 2,307 acres have been selected by the company.

For This Week.

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PRICE OF BREAD.

To Be Regulated by the Chicago City

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Having been informed by its law department that it has not the power to directly regulate the price of bread, the City Council now proposes to regulate that price by removing artificial restrictions of the form of "trusts or "combinations" among bakers. In doing so it acts under the advice of the law department, the Corporation Counsel having reported that it is not only within the power, but it is its duty to collect evidence if any exist of a combination of bakers under which the price of bread is kept above a reasonable figure and to take steps to secure a dissolution of such trust by the proper tribunal. In fact, the order directing the Mayor, the Corporation Counsel and the Chief of Police to make this investigation, which was passed by the Council last night was framed and introduced by the Corporation Counsel, who, at the time, declared everything possible would be done in that direction should the order be passed.

"Brown's Bronchial Troches" will relieve Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh and Throat Diseases.

MONOTON, New Breton., Jan. 15.—Arthur L. Campbell, the son of John Campbell of the Inter-tolonial Railway office, shot himself through the teart at his home. The only cause for the act a supposed to be despondency. Deceased was 24 years old.

Be Sure and Use Mrs. Winslow's Soot Syrup for your children while teething; 25 or

Legation to the Vatican. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 15.-A proposal has been submitted to the Council of the Empire to establish a Russian Legation to the Vatican. ILLINOIS TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS.

EDWARDSVILLE, III., Jan. 15.-The eightly

Genuine Big Muddy. You can rely on getting genuine Big Muddy Coal by placing your orders with the

by placing your orders with the BERRY-HORN COAL CO.,

Banquet to McCraith.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 15.—Augustine McCraith, Secretary of the American Federation of Labor and ex-Secretary of Typographical Union 13 off this city, was tendered a farewell banquet last night by his friends. President Davis of the Typographical Union presided, and among the speakers were Frank K. Foster and other labor leaders. Secretary McCraith leaves for Indianapolis to-day, where the new head-quarters of the federation are established.

EVERY nickel paid on the 3-for-5 basis neans a contribution of 3% cents to two newsboy padrones.

Parted Their Moorings

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 15.—During a heavy gall here two vessels parted their moorings and ground ed on the Spanish coast. No lives were lost.

CLEARING SALE

PLUSH CAPES. extra selected Plush Cape, fine satin \$10.00 linings, fur trimmed, value \$16.50.

> CHILDREN'S CLOAKS. Children's Cloaks, former price \$2,50 980

> Children's Cleaks, former price \$2.75

LADIES' SUITS

of one let of odds and ends 3-button way and tight-fitting Suits. \$4.98

Children's Cloaks, former price \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$7.50 \$4.98 INFANTS' CLOAKS.

\$8.50 White Cashmers, Embroidered, finbiue and drabe. *************

PAPA FRITZ'S MONEY

Did Not Weigh Very Heavily With His

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—A month ago Gertrude Schliesinger was a belle of Harlem a suburb of this city. She was pretty, stylish, had bright prospects and many admirers. She was heiress to Fritz Schliesinger, a prosperous German, who has no small influence in the village.

Gertrude, however, cared not for the village youth. "Papa Fritz" had told her that "mit his gel, bye and bye, he makes der match mit his Gertie und a German Prince, aindt."

But, bye and bye, James Marshal of Kansas City came to Harlem. He was considered a smooth article, but he did not take with Fritz nor the conventional people of Harlem. He wore a high hat and a long-tailed coat, and Gertrude Schliesinger liked him. A few days after his appearance, Gertrude disappeared, and Marshal was also found missing. The next day Marshal sent word from Kansas City to Papa Fritz that he and Gertrude had been married, and desired forgiveness. Papa Fritz, bolling with anger, came to Kansas City and found the couple. He drove Marshal away and triumphantity carried Gertie home with him.

Marshal carried his tale of woe to police

All Republicans for Wolcott. DENVER, Colo., Jan. 15 .- In informal cas cus last night every Republican promised his vote for the re-election of Senator E. O. Wolcott. The Populist caucus voted to give a complimentary vote to Lafe Pence, retiring Congressman from Colorado. GOV. HASTINGS INSTALLED.

The Once Humble School Teacher No Head of a Great State. HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 15.-Danie eacher of twenty years ago, was to-day

teacher of twenty years ago, was to-day formerly installed in the highest office in the second great State in the Union. With the induction of Gov. Hastings into office all the departments of the State Government again passed into the control of the Republicans, after four years of partial loss of political power.

The inauguration was in many respects the most attractive ever seen at the State capitol. The city is crowded with political clubs, National Guardsmen and civic societies.

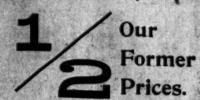
No. 2-St. Louis and New York Limited

the Vandalia-Pennsylvania, Leave St. Louis evening. Fast time and superb service. Starts Sunday, Jan. 20, and daily thereafter

To Assist Haverhill Strikers. LYNN, Muss. Jan. 16.—The workingmen of this city held a mass meeting last night and pledged a generous sum to assist the Haverhill strikers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.-Craig &

Is a bonanza for parents who have Winter Clothing to buy for Large or Small Boys. We have large lots of OVERCOATS, ULSTERS, SUITS, REEFERS and TROUSERS for Boys of all ages that we have marked down in many cases to



You can get no such values in this city as we are giving in Boys' and Children's Clothing. Come and see and compare prices.

Broadway and Pine Street.

'TIS CHEAPER IN THE END.

ATTEMPTED ARSON.

Challenge to Fight, an Arrest and Prob able Cross-Prosecution.

DANVILLE, Ky., Jan. 15 .- The wife of Charle Fox of Yosenite suspected be had transferred his affections to Mrs. William Lipe, and attempted to burn Mrs. Lipe's house while she slept, but failed.

Mrs. Lipe got's pistol and dared Mrs. Fox to come out from het house and fight. Mrs. Fox had Mrs. Lipe arrested for carrying concealed weapons. Mrs. Lipe with now probably prosecute Mrs. Fox for attempted arson.

BECKWITH'S LIGHT SENTENCE.

Walked Into a Federal Court and Confessed to Counterfeiting.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 15.—Jesse Beckwith.

Fromg farmer of Hancock County, Ill., last night walked into the Federal Court, gave himself up and pleaded guilty to pasing counterfeit money. Under Allen fined him 55 and costs and computed him to jail for thirty days.

Beckwith is the man who jumped through the window of a Wabash train rusuing thirty-free miles in hour one night four years ago while being mought her for trial. He said that the fear of apture finally grew on him so strong that he electromized to give himself up.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—Secretary

LIVING PICTURES AT DENVER.

Board of Aldermen Decline to Order an

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 15.-The Board of Aldermen by a tie vote has refused to appoint a committee to investigate and report upon the living pictures which are being exhibited at the Broadway Theater in this city. There is an ordinance prohibiting indecent exhibitions which it is the duty of the Police Board to enforce and the W. C. T. U. protestors against the pictures are advised to take their case before that board.

Comprises Vegetables, Minerals and

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 15.-Prof. H. L. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 15.—Prof. H. L. Bruner of Butier University has completed an analysis of the deposit found on the snow Saturday morning, the samples examined being taken from a sumber of places. He says the particles deposited on the snow form the snullest speck to 35-1000 of an inches the first of the samples are of the samplest of the sa

HUMPHREY'S, Broadway and Pine, St. Louis, January 15, 1895. The weather to-day: Fair, warmer.

the Screws to Competition!



The Live Man

Of to-day is the man who succeeds. And the individual who waits for his neighbor to set the pace generally brings up the rear. Things are pretty lively on the N. E. Cor. Broadway and Pine just now, and since the Red Tags announcing HUMPHREY'S BIG BONA FIDE and GENUINE CLEARING SALE (the only one in St. Louis) have been flung to the breeze our worthy competitors are seized with a mad spirit of imitation, and drop in line in the rear of the Leader and take their respective medicines without a murmur. OUR BIG SALE IS GROWING BIGGER EVERY DAY! Stop and think a moment what we are doing for you; we are giving you fine goods, well made and without a blemish, for the price of an inferior article you can buy anywhere.

\$30 and \$25 Suits for \$15! \$25 and \$20 Overcoats and Ulsters,\$15

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR TAG-You'll get one by mail, and, when you do get it, bring it to our store and compare it with the numbers in the window or the printed list inside, and if you find a corresponding number to your own, YOU RECEIVE ABSOLUTELY FREE one of our fine \$30 SUITS, NOW SELLING FOR \$15.

BOYS' SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS, all at cut prices. For Boys aged 5 to 15 years, OVER 500 ALL-WOOL SCOTCH CHEVIOT KNEE-PANT SUITS, cut from \$10 and \$8.50 to \$5.00.

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